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First Helicopter Makes Victoria Visit To Show Off For Government Officials

Sounding like a giant eggbeater, the first helicopter to visit Victoria comes in for a soft landing on the lawn in front of the Parliament Buildings this afternoon.

Many Victorians this afternoon saw their first real soaring helicopter, a machine which landed on the lawn in front of the Parliament Buildings after a 50-minute trip from Vancouver.

The unannounced arrival of the machine attracted several hundred persons who displayed keen interest in the machine as it was put through its paces for the benefit of the spectators and officials of the provincial government. Several persons, including two provincial cabinet ministers, were flown by the odd-looking creation of modern science, from the Parliament Buildings lawn to the steps of the Empress Hotel.

The visit of the machine is all part of the campaign of its owners Aero Surveys Limited to put helicopters on the map in British Columbia Immediate aim of the company for the visit today was a provincial government contract for use of the machine.

WEIRD-LOOKING CRAFT

The helicopter, piloted by Paul Ostrander, 26, a former R.C.A.F. Spitfire pilot who served in Ceylon for some time, and with George Hastings, 35, a former R.C.A.F. Lancaster navigator, charting the course, came into sight out of the northeastern sky—a weird-looking craft accompanied by a noise that sounded like that of a mighty egg-beater.

Losing altitude and circling the Parliament Buildings the machine dropped down onto the lawn for a gentle landing, sending hats flying from the breeze of its propellor and its rotor blades.

L. M. Williams, president of Aero Surveys Limited, who had arrived before the helicopter, answered the inevitable questions and supplied this information.

The machine was built in Niagara Falls, New York, by The Bell Aircraft Co. It cost $32,000 and the company bought $20,000 worth of parts along with it.

The rotor which holds up the craft, since it has no wings like an aircraft, is 28 feet in diameter. It is driven by a 178-horsepower engine which also drives a second propeller at the rear which helps to stabilize the craft.

USED IN RESCUES

The machine has been flown more than 300 hours, can cruise forward at 92, is one of two owned in British Columbia, has been used in two rescues in Vancouver, including one recently in which an injured skier was carried from Grouse Mountain to the front lawn of Shaughnessy Veterans' Hospital. It has also been used for spraying orchards in the Vernon and Kelowna areas last summer.

According to Mr. Williams, the machine will hover at six inches or six feet from the ground. It will climb to 10,000 feet and has a gas supply sufficient to keep it in the air for five hours.

Its load on the five-hour trip would be the pilot and one passenger.

Aero Surveys Limited has several other standard aircraft and is planning to buy two more helicopters this summer. The company is affiliated with Fairey Aviation Ltd., and Aerographie Surveys Ltd., London, Eng.

Fairey Aviation is manufacturer of the Firefly plane used on aircraft carriers. The helicopter after being introduced to provincial government officials proceeded to Esquimalt where it landed on the naval parade grounds.

The craft has four landing wheels but can operate equally as well with floats permitting it to land on water.

During its manoeuvrings here today the provincial government officials, according to Mr. Williams, would be able to get some idea of the uses the craft could be put to in the forestry, agriculture and other departments.

According to Mr. Williams it would be valuable for dusting and spraying crops, patrolling forests for fire outbreaks, hauling supplies to out of way places, making maps, prospecting for ores, and rescuing work.

Eventually the craft will be equipped with a magnetometer for mineral detection.

Besides its affiliation with Fairey Aviation, Aero Surveys Limited hopes shortly to join with Okanagan Air Services, the only other helicopter owner in British Columbia.

Aero Surveys was started by World War II veterans and now employs 70 persons, nearly all veterans.

MINISTER TAKES FLIGHT

Works Minister E. C. Carson became the first person to fly from the Parliament Buildings to the Empress Hotel.

Navigator Hastings left the craft as soon as it put down on the Parliament Buildings lawn and Mr. Carson, who was going to a luncheon at the hotel was picked up by Pilot Ostrander.

The helicopter sat Mr. Carson down near the front steps of the hotel and then flew back to pick up Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney, who was going to the same lucheon.

Several other provincial government officials, including deputy ministers, later were taken for short trips around town.

LATEST

Figure Meat Prices

OTTAWA (CP) — Details of the system for imposition of price ceilings on meat still are being worked out by the Prices Board, it was learned this afternoon, and one official said he had "no idea when they would be finished."

Low By Comparison

OTTAWA (CP) — Dominion Statistician Herbert Marshall told the Parliamentary price probe today at its second sitting that the present Canadian price level was lower than practically any other countries for which figures are available. He said only three countries had lower price levels than Canada.

Soviet Charge

MOSCOW (AP) — Russia charged tonight that France and Britain made non-aggression pacts with Hitler seeking to unite Europe and isolate the Soviet.

The charge was contained in the second installment of the Russians' reply to publication by the United States State Department Jan. 21 of 260 documents captured from the Germans dealing with prewar German - Russian relations.

2 Girls Die In Fire

STE. ROSE, Que. (CP)—Two young girls, Audrey, 14, and June, 16, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Grant McGillivray, were burned to death today when an exploding oil stove set fire to their home in this village 25 miles north of Montreal. Their mother and a 15-year-old sister, Myrna, escaped from the blazing home.

Dane Braving Atlantic

OSLO (Reuter)—A 36-year-old Danish globe-tratter, Osvar Nordstroem, left Bergen Tuesday in a 19-foot canoe which he plans to paddle and sail across the Atlantic. He intends to make Scotland his first stop.

C.N.R. Seeks Tenders For Alterations To Haileybury Building

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the chief engineer, Winnipeg, Manitoba, up to 3 p.m., Monday, March 8, for alterations to the Haileybury Building, at Government and Fort Streets, Canadian National Railways announced today.

Plans, specifications, form of contract and form of tender will be loaned to bona fide contractors on the deposit of an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the Canadian National Railway Company.

It was announced that tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied by the railway and accompanied by an accepted cheque drawn on a chartered bank in Canada, equal to 5 per cent of the total amount of the tender. No bid bonds will be accepted with tenders on this work.

Illegal Immigrant Ship With 400 Jews Seized By Warships

JERUSALEM (CP)—A Jewish illegal immigrant ship carrying 400 passengers was intercepted by vessels of the Royal Navy off the Palestine coast today and was escorted to Haifa, it was officially stated here.

Meanwhile, a government source said the disbanding of the Trans-Jordan frontier force, announced Monday, is part of the current process of bringing the British mandate to an end.

The British government expects to surrender its mandate to the United Nations about May 12.

The frontier force was recruited 22 years ago, half of Palestine and half of Trans-Jordan Arabs. The group actually was de-activated a few weeks ago when the military took over the border patrol.

France Calls For Security Base East Of Rhine

LONDON (AP) — Diplomatic circles said today France is demanding a security bridgehead east of the Rhine.

The subject, they said, will be high on the agenda of United States, British and French talks on the future of western Germany.

A Foreign Office spokesman said a tentative agenda for the conference, due to open around Feb. 20, had been submitted to France by Great Britain and the United States.

The main aim of the American and British representatives will be to persuade France to merge her German occupation zone with those of the U.S. and Britain.

Monthly Cards For Motorists To Get Gasoline Ration

VANCOUVER (CP)—It appears British Columbia motorists will face gasoline rationing any way they turn.

Service station operators on the executive of the Retail Merchants' Association have set up a ration plan, but intend to wait for further indication of provincial government action before putting the system into operation.

Meanwhile, it is expected Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Provincial Coal and Petroleum Board, will have a new recommendation ready for the cabinet on wholesale prices.

Under the operators' system, a monthly card will be issued to regular customers, setting the individual allowance believed necessary for each customer. As motor fuel is purchased, the gallonage will be punched on the card.

At the present time most retailers refuse sale to all but regular customers, said George R. Matthews, R.M.A. secretary-manager.

Aid Being Rushed To U.S Freighter

NEW YORK (AP) — The United States Lines freighter Pierre Dupont, its hull cracked by 25-foot waves, proceeded slowly toward Newfoundland today as a Coast Guard cutter hastened to her aid.

The cutter Duane messaged the Coast Guard here that she had made radio contract with the Dupont.

The Dupont, with a crew of 44, was making five or six knots en route to Argentia, Nfld., 535 miles to the northwest, the cutter reported. The Duane said she was 250 miles from the freighter.

A damaged British vessel in the same area steamed under her own power to sanctuary in Halifax Harbor.

The Coast Guard's New York office said the British ship Clunepark, disabled Tuesday with a damaged rudder some 800 miles east of Nova Scotia, was proceeding toward port. Moderating seas were believed to have enabled her to make repairs.

No Skating In Sight

Although mercury in Victoria thermometers dropped to the 28 degree mark Tuesday night the probability of skating remained unlikely. What little ice formed overnight around the edges of Saanich ponds and the lake in Beacon Hill Park was fast thawing this morning under warm rays from the sun.

The mercury was expected to reach a high of 38 degrees during the day and then drop again tonight. The weather forecast, however, prophesies milder weather during the following 48 hours.

Provincial police had no report on ice conditions at the Malahat Spectacle Lake but said skating is unlikely.

Coldest place in B.C. today is Prince George where the maximum temperature is only seven degrees above zero. Last night, Prince George thermometers recorded a temperature of 22 below.

Bavarian Ex-Princess Dies

BERLIN (AP) — Princess Hildegard, 66, daughter of Ludwig III, last King of Bavaria, died recently at Wildenbach, Bavaria, the British-licensed German press service reported today.

Commodity Price Drop Checks U.S. Inflation

37 Trade Unions Ignore British Wage Freeze Plea

LONDON (CP) — Thirty-seven trade unions, defying the Labor government's wage-freezing policy, voted today to demand higher pay for 3,000,000 members.

The Confederation of Shipbuilding and Engineering Unions agreed in a meeting at Newcastle to press for increases averaging about 14s ($2.80) a week.

The government, fearful of going bankrupt within six months, fought to get trade union backing for its program to freeze both wages and profits. The program is on a voluntary basis.

Observers believe a dangerous situation will face the government if the resistance to the wage policy spreads further before tomorrow's critical House of Commons debate on the program.

A threat to the plan has been offered by 21 rank-and-file Labor members of Parliament who have introduced a motion asking withdrawal of the government document setting out the new wages policy.

CRIPPS SPOKE

The members introduced their motion at almost the same hour that Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was giving the country details of Britain's "menacing" adverse balance of payments.

Leaders of Britain's Trades Union Congress, which represents about 7,500,000 workers, were scheduled to meet Prime Minister Attlee and other cabinet ministers tonight to discuss trade union reaction to the government's wage-pegging appeal.

Political quarters fear many of Britain's industrial workers will respond to the plea to forego wage increases only if satisfactory assurances are given that stringent measures will be taken to control profits in industry.

The government believes an endorsement of its wage policy by both Parliament and the trades unions to be vitally necessary.

U.S. Ambassador To Panama Quits

WASHINGTON (AP. — Brig.-Gen. Frank T. Hines resigned today as U.S. Ambassador to Panama.

The White House announced the resignation would be effective March 1. President Truman accepted it with "regret."

Hines negotiated an agreement with the Panamanian government for U.S. troops to use bases in Panama for defence of the Panama Canal. But the Panamanian Assembly refused unanimously late last year to approve the agreement. The White House did not make public Hines' letter of resignation.

Retail Food Prices Show Decline

As the midwest grain market slumped, prices in stores throughout the U.S. began to drop slightly. Mrs. Sarah Samberg and her daughter, Rochelle, of Brooklyn, N.Y., are shown buying the first five-pound bag of flour from Max Sulton at the new price of 49 cents, a 6-cent drop in three days.

Coach Lines Asks Increased Fares For Up-Island Points

Increased highway bus fares on Vancouver Island and the lower mainland, to take effect March 10, were requested today by representatives of Vancouver Island Coach Lines and Pacific Stage Lines, who presented applications to the Public Utilities Commission.

Citing the fact that there had been no increase in interurban fares for the last 20 years and that on the contrary fares generally had been reduced during that period, the companies' submissions to the P.U.C. outlined sharp increases in operating costs during the past year which made a tariff adjustment vitally necessary.

In support of their request for higher fares, the companies pointed out that the cost of operation had increased in all departments — wages, salaries, replacement parts and materials and capital cost of equipment.

The companies submitted that the most equitable fare increases could only be developed by the elimination of special week-end rates now applying on most lines. As this week-end return fare favored a special group of passengers and was discriminatory against short haul passengers and those who travel in the midweek, elimination of the week-end fare enabled the preparation of a tariff embodying comparatively smaller increases than would otherwise be the case.

On Vancouver Island the routes affected by the tariff increases are Victoria-Nanaimo, Nanaimo-Port Alberni, Nanaimo-Campbell River and Victoria-Sooke-Jordan River. Feeder routes to these lines, such as Duncan-Cowichan Lake, Port Alberni-Great Central, Campbell River-Menzies Bay-Kelsey Bay and Shawniigan Lake Port Renfrew would not have their basic fares increased it was disclosed.

Pacific Stage Lines, operating 120 buses on 24 routes in the lower mainland area asked for fare increases on all except Vancouver-Seattle and Vancouver-Horseshoe Bay services but indicated by separate applications on these could be expected in the near future.

Pacific Stage Lines proposed tariff filed with the P.U.C. eliminates inequality which had existed in the present structure by placing all routes on a basic mileage rate and by a revision of zone limits. While fares will be increased similarly there will be reductions or no change in many others.

Since 1945, Pacific Stage Lines improved service to the public by the introduction into service of 62 new buses, and the erection of new terminal facilities and other public conveniences, representing in all an investment of over $2,000,000.

Future plans of Pacific Stage Lines, it was stressed, call for an expansion of services and facilities, which can only be carried out if current traffic volume is maintained, and an adequate net revenue realized.

They Cheated Disaster

While Capt. Dick Merrill watches, Pilot W. E. Johnson telephones in his report from Bunnell, Fla., on the safe emergency landing of an Eastern Airlines Constellation after part of an engine had broken off at 22,000 feet, crashed through the fuselage and killed a crew-member. Merrill and Johnson brought the 63 passengers down safely after two hours of suspense, during which it was feared a landing at sea might be necessary.

Atlantic Storm Kills 2 Seamen

HULL, Eng. (AP)—The 2,000-ton steamship Springfjord docked here today after a nightmare Atlantic crossing in which two seamen lost their lives.

Chief Officer William Georgeson and Able Seaman Frank Smith were swept overboard by giant seas and vanished while the ship was hove to in a gale. The storm carried away the ventilator cowlings and pushed stanchions through the steel deck. The deck cargo had to be jettisoned.

The vessel sailed from Halifax, N.S., three weeks ago.

Business Chiefs Say Recession Now Improbable

By HARRY T. MONTGOMERY

NEW YORK (AP) — The postwar inflation in the United States has had its back broken, and the consumer can sit back today and say to himself, "so far, so good."

This is the big conclusion to be drawn from the spectacular break in commodity prices which began just a week ago. Now there are other things to think about.

Is a recession at hand? Will it be brought on by panic selling? What will check it? How far can these commodity prices plunge and still leave just a healthy readjustment?

The top business brains of the country pondered these questions today, and most of the analysts viewed the situation with confidence. This is what they see:

The shakedown in commodities was overdue. Now it has come. But the American economy as a whole is too strong to be stampeded at this time into a severe recession or depression. There are too many jobs yet to be done, too many things that people need and won't be able to get for some time.

CHEAPER FOOD COMING

The farmer has seen his best prices. Food must be cheaper, now that the rest of the world is beginning to take care of itself. With food cheaper, other retail prices should come down gradually, or at least stop going up.

But there still isn't enough steel, or enough of many of the things made of it. Nor enough oil.

All that is necessary is to leave the ultimate consumer with enough money to buy these things. The speeding inflation of the last six months was draining the consumer of money. Too much of it would have spelled the disaster of an economic crash.

But, barring panic, that crash now can be avoided. The world as a whole is far from over-producing, and it has 10 per cent more inhabitants than it did before the war. There should be plenty of work for everyone.

So far the situation seems to be in hand. The consumer has his gains, and can expect more. Just what he ultimately gets from the price break—a healthy stabilization or some kind of a recession—will depend on developments. The next few days should tell him much.

GRAINS FALL LIMIT

CHICAGO (AP)—Grain prices came under selling pressure as the Chicago pits opened today and stocks skidded again, although more slowly than in Tuesday's widespread break.

It was a week ago today that rising prices had their first decisive drop.

All deliveries of wheat, oats and corn fell the limit within a few minutes after trading started.

Hog prices started 50 to 75 cents a hundred pounds higher with the top $23.25 as arrivals were the smallest for a Wednesday since Oct. 9, 1946, the last week of ceiling prices.

London stocks slumped: Leading issues on the Manila Stock Exchange were down fractions to $2, and at Sydney, Australia, share values fell as much as 10 per cent.

Cotton prices at New Orleans fell more than $10 a bale at the opening. The limit of decline is $10, but directors adopted an emergency trading rule for today only under which some prices can fluctuate as much as $20 a bale below Monday's close.

Housewives, meanwhile, are paying less for meats, flour, butter and sugar.

Election Meetings

No public meetings have been scheduled for tonight by the Coalition.

C.C.F.—Opposition Leader H. E. Winch, and Colin Cameron, candidate, will speak in St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove, at 8.

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Import Of U.S. Cars To Be 16 Per Cent Of Total For 1947

OTTAWA (CP)—Trade Minister Howe estimated Tuesday that new regulations would cut the value of Canadian imports of U.S.-made cars to about 16 per cent of the 1947 total and agreed that they would have the effect of opening the way for a swollen British invasion of the Canadian market.

In a brief interview, the minister said "A reasonable" over-all quota for imports from sterling areas would be established to parallel the announced policy of putting imports from the U.S., both of automobiles and parts, on a percentage ration related to the past.

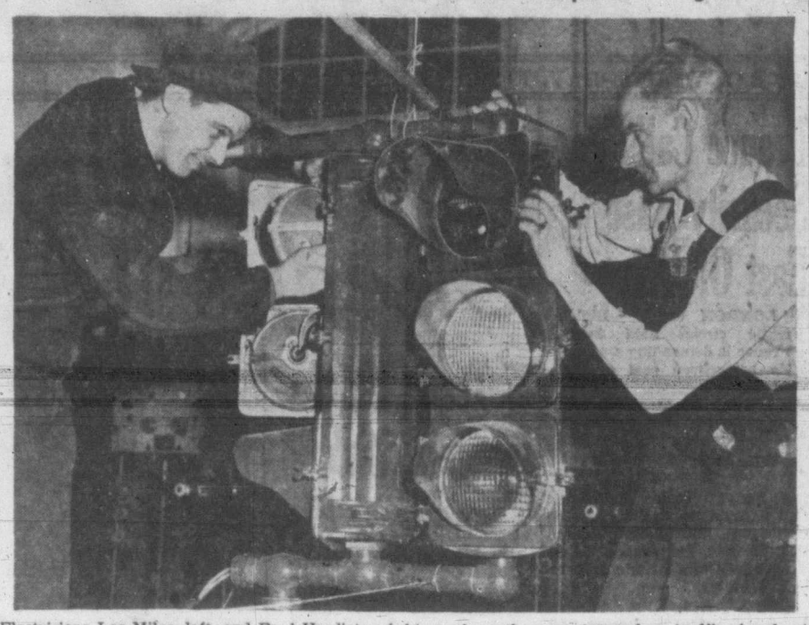
His statement followed announcement of new government steps to conserve U.S. dollars, which:

1. Relaxed the total prohibition against imports of complete cars and trucks, announced last Nov. 17, by giving each importer a dollar allotment based on the number of cars and trucks he imported in the 12 months ending Oct. 31, 1947. The allotment comes from multiplying the number of units imported in that time by $230, a figure calculated to be 75 per cent of the average foreign currency content of automobiles manufactured in Canada. Thus an importer who brought in 1,000 units would be able to bring in $$230,000 worth of vehicles or parts this year.

2. Put the import of automotive parts and accessories on the same basis, effective March 1.

Officials and dealers came up with various predictions. One was that the roughly $62,000,000 worth of U.S. cars and trucks imported last year would be slimmed by about 84 per cent and that the way was open, to an unknown extent, for Britain to move in, providing she can meet the competitive prices. The $100,000,000 worth of imported accessories and parts would be down something like 25 per cent.

Council, Police Commission See New Stop, Go Signs



Electricians Les Miles, left, and Fred Hardisty, right, work on the new stop and go traffic signals at the city's electric light department on Store Street. Mayor Percy E. George, members of the council, acting Chief of Police John Blackstock and members of the police commission, were invited to view the new signs and see a miniature of the new set-up at the Store Street building this afternoon by Ald. F. G. Mulliner, chairman of the city council's electric light committee.

Landing Exercises In U.S. Fatal To 3 As Ships Capsize

OCEANSIDE, Calif (AP) — Two United States navy men were killed, a third is missing and 31 were injured when churning surf Tuesday turned amphibious landing exercises into disaster.

For hours a two-mile stretch of the beach here looked something like a wartime beach head. Three landing craft capsized. Two others are missing and believed sunk. Marines with full equipment swam ashore and sprawled on the beach, exhausted.

Ambulances assembled. Jeeps shuttled back and forth. Emergency radio equipment was set up. Coast Guard rescue planes joined Marine observation planes, hunting for men struggling in the sea. Destroyers darted in and out.

When it was all over the navy announced that one Marine, rescued from the surf, died later; one sailor was killed when he slipped and fell two decks aboard the transport Cavalier and one Marine is missing.

Thirty-one sailors and Marines, including 10 who participated in in rescue work, were in hospital, all suffering from immersion and shock.

Married Couples From D.P. Camps Coming To Do Domestic Work

OTTAWA (CP) — Twenty-five couples from the displaced persons camps of Europe are en route to Canada to initiate an experiment in settling married men and women together in Canadian homes, Arthur McNamara, deputy Minister of Labor, said today.

Testifying before the Senate immigration committee, he said they were due to land next Tuesday and added that a similar group would follow in the near future. The first group would be employed by residents of Montreal and Toronto.

From his evidence and that of Labor Minister Mitchell, these points emerged:

1. The British government has so far footed the bill for hospital costs of Polish veterans who fell sick after arrival here to do farm work. There still are 31 of them in the sanatorium at Brandon, Man., and 22 in other hospitals.

2. The government hopes to use the British employment service to locate skilled tradesmen needed by Canadian industry, such as a furniture factory at Kitchener, Ont. Building tradesmen also are being sought in Italy.

3. A Labor Department committee is studying the situation at Vancover, where hundreds of people from the prairies are out of work. It is hoped they can be offered jobs elsewhere, such as with the Canadian Pacific Railways (E. and N.) on Vancouver Island or possibly in Ontario. The C.P.R. had made its offer of jobs only this morning.

MOST SUCCESSFUL

4. The experiment of bringing in young women from the D.P. camps to do domestic work was launched with some trepidation, but had been "the most successful aspect of all" postwar immigration. There has been no trouble in placing them and no complaints since. The problem is to get enough of them.

5. It is doubtful the sugar beet industry will be able to get Netherlands workers, but it is possible workers will arrive from the D.P. camps to work this season.

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Turkey Not Weakening In Freedom Defence

WASHINGTON (AP)—Turkey is "determined to fight anybody any time" to preserve its freedom, the chief of the United States Military Mission to that country said today.

Maj.-Gen. Horace L. McBride emphasized in an interview that the Turks "are not grasping, they don't want anything outside their own borders." But, he added they firmly intend to resist any move against them.

Turkey controls one of the world's most strategic waterways, the Dardanelles. Across the Black Sea and on her northeastern border she faces Russia, which long has sought a voice in control of the Dardanelles.

Ice Jails Ohio River

Ice jam in the Ohio River at Cincinnati threatens millions of dollars of industrial and pleasure craft, besides disrupting river shipping. Here, ice piles up against the Tresler Oil Co. pumpboat.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A salvage collection for Oak Bay, Shoal Bay, Uplands. E 3413. ***

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C.C.F. Meetings—Tonight, St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove, speakers, Harold Winch, M.L.A.; Colin Cameron, C.C.F. candidate in Saanich. Thursday, Feb. 12, St. Martin's Hall, Harold Winch, M.L.A.; Colin Cameron. Friday, Feeb. 13, Institute Hall, Colquitz, Herbert Gargrave, M.L.A.; Colin Cameron, all at 8 p.m. Broadcast, CKWX, Thursday, Feb. 12, 6.15 p.m. ***

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C.C.F. Valentine costume dance, Saturday, Feb. 14, at 9 p.m., in Woodsworth Hall, 857 Pandora Avenue. Prizes. Admission 35c. ***

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Schubert Club recital, First United Church, Tuesday, Feb. 24, 8.15 p.m. Guest Artists, Grace Adams, soprano; Pierre Timp, Baritone, in solos and duets. Tickets 50c at Fletcher's Music Store. ***

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Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight Feb. 12:

Skies have become generally overcast this morning along the northern B.C. coast and at several points over the southern coast. Elsewhere clear, cold weather continues. Milder weather is in sight in the next 48 hours.

Vancouver and vicinity, lower Fraser Valley — Variable cloudiness, clearing during the morning. Cloudy early Thursday, clearing by midmorning. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

West coast Vancouver Island —Clear along the coast today. Cloudy offshore, clearing during afternoon. Intermittent rain, occasionally mixed with snow commencing this afternoon over the Charlottes and spreading to the mainland tonight. Winds southerly 15, increasing to southeast 25 tonight. Normal temperature.

	To 9 a.m. Min.	Today Max.	Precip.
Montreal	—17	7	
Toronto	—3	14	
North Bay	—6	9	
Port Arthur	—1	14	Trace
Winnipeg	—18	1	
Brandon	—23	0	
Regina	—22	—4	
Saskatoon	—19	—2	
Prince Albert	—1	14	Trace
N. Battleford	—10	—2	
Swift Current	—16	—5	
Medicine Hat	—21	—3	
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Portland	27	44	
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Chicago	22	24	
San Francisco	46	53	
Los Angeles	44	57	
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Control Blood Pressure

CLEVELAND (AP) — A mechanical method for lowering or raising blood pressure during an operation by withdrawal or addition of blood through an artery has been developed by two Cleveland surgeons. Dr. Irvine H. Page and Dr. Otto Glasser of the Cleveland Clinic Foundation reported lowering pressure by withdrawing blood before an operation had been found helpful in certain cases in which bleeding is likely to be profuse and difficult to cope with.

LONDON (CP) — As Foreign Secretary Bevin addressed the annual dinner of the Anglo-Egyptian Society here Tuesday night detectives hovered in the background after an earlier anonymous telephone call to Scotland Yard which threatened an attempt to kill Bevin at the gathering. The dinner passed without incident.

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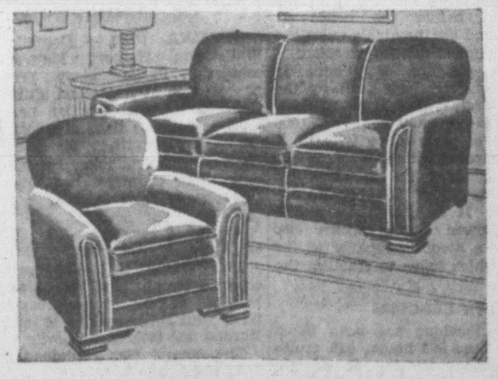

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37 Charges Represented At Presbytery Of United Church

Thirty-seven pastoral charges on Vancouver Island were represented at Victoria Presbytery of United Church of Canada convened in Metropolitan United Church this morning.

Rev. J. S. Clark of Courtenay presided as chairman of Presbytery, Rev. J. C. Thompson acting as secretary.

This being the spring session of Presbytery, the matters of deliberation will include preparations for the forthcoming conference of British Columbia which will be held in May at First United Church, Victoria.

A referendum from the 12th general council will be considered with respect to the purchase of annuities for certain beneficiaries of the church pension fund.

Another referendum with regard to the nomination of persons for the office of moderator will be voted upon by the Presbytery. Representatives from conference to Presbytery will include the president, Rev. D. H. Telfer, D.D., of West Point Grey United Church, Vancouver, and Rev. W. P. Bunt, provincial superintendent of missions.

The evening session, commencing at 7.30, will be devoted to the consideration of the report of the committees dealing with Christian education, evangelism and social service. The proceedings of the sederunt of Thursday morning at 9.30 will commence with the observance of the Lord's Supper.

C.C.L. Council Splits On Support Of C.C.F. Municipally

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Vancouver Labor Council (C.C.L.) split into rival camps on an executive recommendation to endorse C.C.F. candidates in civic elections which was carried by a 53 to 44 vote.

The new C.C.F.-dominated executive won the victory, but only after Harold Pritchett, secretary of the B.C. Federation of Labor, had warned that such action would "divide the council."

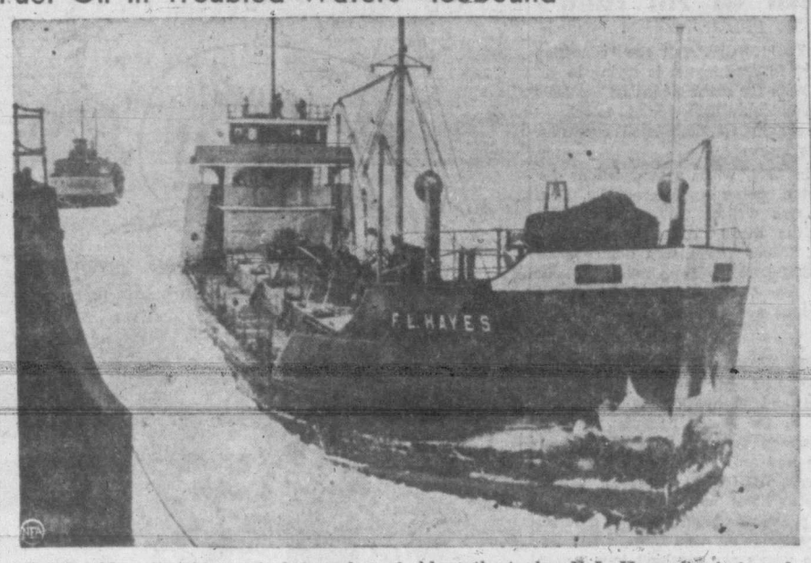
"This will only bring down wrath on your heads," Pritchett declared at the meeting Tuesday night. "The B.C. Federation was careful not to endorse any political party, but to endorse candidates most likely to defeat the Tory-Liberal Coalition."

Council president George Home, who sponsored the resolution to endorse C.C.F. civic candidates, claimed it carried out C.C.L. policy of political action.

Support of the C.C.F. should be carried out on the civic level as well as provincial and federal, he said.

Nat Sadler, Woodworkers' Union delegate, doubted it was C.C.L. policy to enter the civic political arena.

Fuel Oil In Troubled Waters—Icebound



In as cold a situation as fuel-short householders, the tanker F. L. Hayes lies icebound with a precious cargo of oil at the entrance to Cape Cod Canal, in Buzzards Bay, Mass. Tanker in background managed to break through as it headed west for a refill.

Bombay Politician Held In Probe Of Gandhi Slaying; Red Office Raided

BOMBAY (AP)—Police said today they had jailed a Bombay politician accused of a pre-assassination conference with the man held for killing Mohandas K. Gandi.

The politician was not identified.

Police also raided the office of the Communist Red Guards organization and arrested P. B. Dowde, an organizer.

Police said they had information that the killing of Gandhi Jan. 30 was part of a plot by an underground Hindu volunteer corps to kill government leaders. The organization is known as the Hindu Dal.

The information, police reported, came from Madan Lal, a young Punjab refugee accused of exploding a makeshift bomb near a Gandhi prayer meeting Jan. 20. Lal and N. V. Godse, in jail at New Delhi accused of shooting Gandhi, had conferred at the home of the Bombay politician and Godse then took Lal to New Delhi.

Lal's bomb was intended to kill Gandhi. Instead, it exploded harmlessly.

Police said the Hindu Dal planned to kill not only Gandhi, but Prime Minister Nehru and Education Minister Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad.

After such assassinations the Hindu Dal had expected to force Deputy Prime Minister Sardar Vallabhai Patel into retirement. With Patel out, the Hindu Dal expected to install leaders of its own.

JAM FUNERAL ROUTE

Aboard Gandhi's Funeral Train, en route to Allahabad (AP)—Sorrowing crowds by the thousands packed railway stations today as the Gandhi funeral train rolled toward Allahabad.

As the train of third-class coaches stopped, jostling mobs pushed forward toward the funeral car, where the ashes of Gandhi repose in an urn. Garlands and money were tossed into the open window of the special compartment holding the urn.

Tomorrow at noon the ashes will be immersed at Triveni Sangham, near Allahabad, before an estimated 2,000,000 persons. There the Ganges, Jumna and Saraswati — most sacred rivers to Hindus—meet.

As the train swung into the open countryside it picked up speed, passing little groups of Indians who had gathered by the tracks to see it pass.

During a stop at Aligarh in the United Provinces of India a delegation of Moslems presented a funeral wreath.

The train, decked with flags of the free India he did so much to create, pulled out of New Delhi today.

A great crowd stood solemnly as the remains of the assassinated Hindu spiritual leader were carried into the train by his son. Ram Das, and a disciple.

Suddenly it broke, and men, women and children rushed police lines. Some of them wanted a last look at the remains of the man they loved so well. Others, who struggled through a mass of humanity, reached in the funeral car window to snatch flowers from around the urn.

Police swung heavy bamboo lathis (staves) and order was restored in 15 minutes.

Mitchell President Of Labor Council

T. A. Mitchell, Marine Workers' Union, Local No. 3, has been elected president of the Victoria Labor Council for 1948, it was reported today.

Other officers elected were: H. E. Norman, Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers, Local 234, vice-president, and T. A. Fanthorpe, Marine Workers' Union, Local No. 3, secretary-treasurer.

Trustees elected were: G. H. Taylor, International Woodworkers of America, Local 1-118; Kuldeep Singh Bains, I.W.A.-C.I.O., and R. Noble, Marine Workers' Union.

Road Improvement Or Bus Route Change In Fairfield

The transportation committee of the city council has asked the public works department, to bring in a recommendation, on the possibility of putting the roads in the Oscar Street area, in such a condition, as to allow use of heavy buses, without resultant vibration to nearby houses, Ald. H. M. Diggon, chairman of the committee, reported following a meeting Tuesday afternoon.

"If the department cannot recommend that work on the roads would put them into the desired condition, then the routes will have to be changed," Ald. Diggon said.

"However it is not the desire in any way, to reduce the route mileage of buses if it can be avoided."

The meeting discussed the bus routes in the Fairfield and Gonzales district, which, according to Ald. Diggon, are "causing many people much concern, because in the rush hours, the company is not able to take care of the large volume of traffic without delay, because they are unable to use the heavy buses on the route."

The company cannot use the heavy buses, because residents of the area complained that on certain streets, the buses caused the houses to vibrate, and also because the condition of the roads in the Oscar Street area do not warrant use of the heavy buses, Ald. Diggon reported.

"The city works department have said that the nature of the subsoil in the area is peaty or gobby, which contributes to the road condition," he said. "It is a moot point, whether repaving would improve cushion of the roadbed, and whether the vibration would be eliminated."

There are not sufficient smaller buses during the two rush hours in morning and evening, despite the fact that there is a reserve fleet of 30 buses for those hours, Ald. Diggon said.

Leo Joseph Fagan pleaded guilty before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today to a charge of dangerous driving at Government and Niagara Streets Feb. 1 and was fined $40. His license was suspended for one month. Evidence by the constable was that accused jumped a stop sign and collided with a car driven by Thomas D. Joyce.

Dunsmuir Silver Sold At Auction

A canteen of sterling silver flatwear donated by employees of Nanaimo Collieries in 1901 to the late Hon. James Dunsmuir, former Minister of Mines, sold for $300 at an auction conducted by A. R. Roberts, a partner of the firm Maynard and Sons, at the Willows Fair Grounds Monday and Tuesday.

A valuable collection of paintings owned by a former well-known art collector and physician in Vancouver were also auctioned for prices ranging between $50 and $175. One painting by Emily Carr sold for $200.

A pair of miniatures (unsigned) attributed to John Constable, famous landscape painter, sold for $130. His paintings today are selling for thousands of dollars.

Another unsigned painting attributed to Monet, French artist, sold for $100 to a dealer. Six rare sporting prints by Henry Aiken sold for $100.

An important collection of rare Persian rugs was also sold. The top price of a 10x7 Princess Bokhara was $1,725. Name of the owner was not disclosed.

Among other items sold was a rare Italian jewel box with enameled panels. The box realized $175.

Victoria club for the hard of hearing monthly meeting will be held tonight in the clubrooms. Lip-reading practice will start at 7.45.

"Why Freedom of Enterprise?" is the subject of an address to be given by C. Bruce Hill, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, who will speak before a joint meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club tomorrow at the Empress Hotel.

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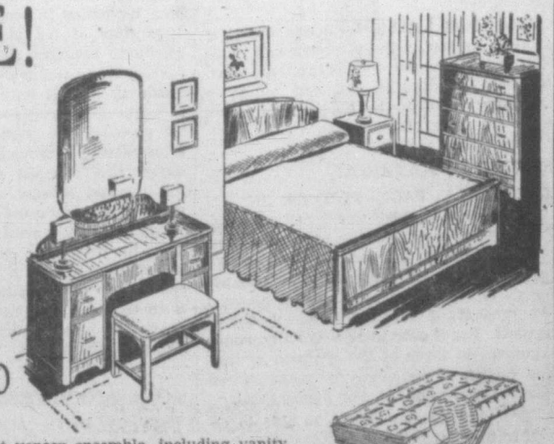

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SCHOOL BUILDING COSTS

WHAT THE GREATER VICTORIA School Board may decide to do to relieve serious overcrowding in many schools has been indicated. It may rent halls for use as classrooms. Given normal conditions it would expedite construction under the building program approved by the ratepayers last year. But the school board, like all practical bodies, fully recognizes the fact that conditions are not normal. The tender it has received for the technical unit, for instance, is approximately $100,000 more than the original $150,000 estimate. This, moreover, is but one project in several included in the initial program for which the authorities expected to raise approximately $2,000,000 through the passage of by-laws.

It was not the intention of the school board, of course, to embark upon all the desired construction at one time. Earlier arrangements had been made to provide new buildings only for those districts where the need was greatest. The urgency still exists. Certain localities will require temporary accommodation to supplement existing schools if more permanent buildings cannot be erected.

Under existing circumstances, however, implementation of the building plan, on the basis of increased costs disclosed in the technical school bid, would be highly expensive. It is natural, therefore, that provincial authorities, which are responsible for half the construction costs, should caution delay. Provided sufficiently adequate make-shift facilities can be obtained at reasonable cost, it may be expected that the school board will forego projected building except in those instances in which the need is imperative.

In the latter category is the technical unit. In order to enjoy the benefits of federal as well as provincial assistance in financing that undertaking, construction must be started before next March 31. The aid from the Dominion Government may be roughly compared with that offered by the same source just 20 years ago, when the voters of this community failed to provide the required majority to pass a technical school by-law. At that time we devoted generous space in these columns to support the plan that would have overcome an educational deficiency from which Victoria has suffered too long. It serves little purpose at this juncture to remind our readers that construction under the highly favorable conditions existing in 1928 not only would have made provision for technical students of the last two decades, but also would have furnished the nucleus of an institution around which further development could now take place. Suffice it to say that the arguments presented then are in a large measure sound today. Despite the higher costs, delay should not again jeopardise the assistance that will be forthcoming from the superior governments if work is started before the end of next month.

While the issue appears clear in respect to that particular unit, the solution of the problem surrounding other construction is still a matter for study. If temporary structures must be erected, they can scarcely be of much value when their emergent tenancy is over. On the other hand—and while building charges may never return to what was once considered "normal"—the probable cost of going ahead with permanent schools in the immediate future removes such a policy from the realms of economic expenditure.

Should all but the technical school be delayed, moreover, the arrangements made to finance eventual construction are such that the city authorities can build up necessary funds to be spent when conditions are more propitious.

SCRAPPED MATERIAL

ONE FULL PAGE PICTURE IN AN American popular weekly shows some 200 aeroplanes of various categories literally rusting in the jungle vines of an island near Dutch New Guinea. It is not for us to try to suggest how this material—a product of expert technology—should be used. But if ever there was an economic argument in favor of the abolition of war, this picture alone ought to make a persuasive impression on the public mind.

Even the layman should be able to detect from this pictorial manifestation how the products of scientific progress have apparently been reduced to so much junk. When one contemplates the millions of hours that were conscientiously expended on the production of these machines upon which victory for allied arms depended so vitally, it would not be surprising if the "little people" of the world, sooner or later, devise some means by which governments—and those interests which unfortunately are wont to influence governments—can be forced to put an end to human slaughter and the destruction of priceless treasures as a means of settling disputes between nation and nation.

MIGRATING MEDDLERS

THE TAFT-HARTLEY LABOR LAW, which placed an official veto on Communists serving in official capacities in labor unions, is having repercussions on the Canadian labor front, according to one of the men who framed its provisions. Senator Robert Taft, in the course of campaigning for support of his presidential candidacy in this year's United States elections, told an audience at Gary, Indiana, that "several mining unions (in Canada) are being swamped with Communists who have left the United States because they no longer can make use of their favorite device of infiltration."

Mr. Taft ascribed his information to "Canadian friends" who had told him of the movement of Communists from American to Canadian unions. If such information is correct—and in repeating it we have in mind the fact that the Ohio Senator is in the midst of a hot political battle to win for himself the highest position in the United States government—it would do no harm for Canadian workers to be on their guard to meet a new and concentrated attack on the "infiltration front." Subversive agents do not care much where they operate, so long as they are busy promoting the fortunes of the ideology that has its headquarters in the Kremlin. If the United States does not want them, it is equally true that Canada does not either, and a cold shoulder from the workers themselves will be a much more effective hint than any official action.

TAXES GOING UP

ANY MUNCIPALITY WHICH "GETS BY" without those services considered virtually essential for urban settlement automatically enjoys a lower tax rate than one which demands and secures the facilities deemed necessary for full municipal development. But when the public decides to overcome some of the handicaps imposed by the lack of such services, it must, of course, meet the bill. This obvious fact is emphasized by the $537,669 five-year road program recommended to Saanich Council this week. If the scheme is carried through, the district should have a vastly improved system of paved thoroughfares and the tax rate will go up, according to present estimates, by another two mills. Similarly, when an adequate sewer system is installed, the taxes will be further increased and each improvement in water, fire protection, police, street lighting and other departments will be accompanied by higher charges against the ratepayers.

We recapitulate these self-evident facts in view of the objection which has been taken by certain Saanich officials to the proposal to bring that municipality into a Greater Victoria administration. It is not suggested that amalgamation would relieve the district's residents of the necessity of making the expenditures which development entails. Under any circumstances the people who live in that municipality will have to pay for what they get. But cold logic alone suggests that improvements may be made more efficiently through combined action in which the needs of the community are attended to in a co-ordinated way. And the residents of Saanich must see that they cannot maintain the benefits of comparatively low taxation unless they wish to forego the advantages of modern living available through better services.

RESTORING YOUNG BODIES

SINCE IT OPENED ITS DOORS TO THE first little patient in the spring of 1927, the Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay has had a special interest for the residents of Vancouver Island, and more particularly Victoria. Appeals for funds and other forms of support have been answered by local individuals and organizations, and a special bond has grown up between the people of the island and the children who undergo health-giving treatments at the sunlit institution.

The importance of the work done at Mill Bay may be judged by the fact that it has been increasing in scope ever since the inauguration of the plan. There has been constant pressure to expand facilities, develop more treatments and benefit more children. And it may be noted that the requests for admittance have come from all parts of the province. The Solarium is essentially a provincial institution. This aspect was stressed at the 22nd annual meeting last Monday, when the need for a more widely-conducted campaign to obtain funds was recognized. Money for buildings, improvements and current operation is urgently needed if the Solarium is to continue to carry on its vital functions. It is to be hoped that both the local and the provincial response will match the magnitude of the appeal.

STILL 'SHAMELESSLY' HAPPY?

JUST 16 DAYS AGO WE NOTED A Canadian Press story under a Vancouver dateline describing that city's "excusable shameless enjoyment" of the salubrious weather which prompted early buds to swell in mainland gardens while other parts of the continent shivered in extreme cold. We were pleased by our friends' appreciation of early garden promise—not more than two or three weeks behind that of Victoria. But we had some misgivings over the reported exuberance stimulated by their late January weather. Our fears were justified. If that was late frost on downtown streets pictured on the front pages of Vancouver papers yesterday, it must have been severe—six inches deep.

Growth Of An Idea

BY PETER EDSON From Washington

WHAT YOU MIGHT call the "education lobby" in Washington is trying to get in a few licks for making part of the Marshall Plan funds available for aid to schools and colleges in war-devastated countries. Here's it's story:

Back in 1943, when appropriations for Unrra were being considered by Congress, it was written into the law that none of the money could be used for education. Since Unrra was going to be run by administrators from many nations, Congress feared they might get control of the school systems, and use them for propaganda.

SO THERE WAS no international aid for schools. Sixty per cent of the teachers in Poland and Czechoslovakia had been liquidated by the Nazis. Seventy per cent of the German teachers were Nazis, and had to be replaced. It was estimated that it would cost $100,000,000 to rebuild all the bombed-out schools in Greece, where the price of a pencil was $5 on the black market. Teachers' salaries all over Europe were so low that a year's pay wouldn't buy a pair of shoes. In China, teachers were paid less than ricksha boys.

What governments didn't do, a few far-sighted private citizens and organizations took on. Through efforts of the American Council on Education, early in 1946 the Carnegie Corporation of New York was persuaded to put $25,000 in an effort to create interest in Old World educational reconstruction. In 1947, Carnegie put another $75,000 into the venture.

WITH THIS MONEY, an organization known as the Commission for International Reconstruction was set up in Washington. Working entirely behind the scenes, seeking no publicity, not competing with any other charitable group, C.I.E.R. has steered some $150,000,000 worth of school aid into 27 war-torn foreign countries.

The aid itself came from some 300 organizations — from the American Association for Adult Education right through the alphabet to Y.M. and Y.W.C.A., including churches, educators, do-good societies.

Most of this work was begun before the United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization was set up. Late in 1946, a U.S. National Commission to support Unesco was created by law. It was to be made up of 100 educational and scientific leaders from private life. But, before this group could get going, C.I.E.R. had made such progress that it was designated American agent on all matters pertaining to international aid to schools.

THEN C.I.E.R.'S MISSIONARY work for Unesco began to pay off. The U.S. Commission for Unesco held its first national conference in Philadelphia last February. Out of that grew a regional conference of mountain and plains states, held in Denver last spring. In the fall, there was a midwest regional meeting in Chicago. A regional conference will be held in San Francisco next May.

Out of the regional conference grew state meetings, with colleges and many civic organizations represented. The universal question was, "What can we do to help?" Unesco and C.I.E.R. put them to work.

IN MILWAUKEE, one Ben Barkin, a live-wire promotion man for the Boston Store, noted that a group of women's clubs was meeting to consider what they might do to aid Unesco. Barkin invited the ladies in to use the store auditorium for their meeting, free of charge. Then his store sent 20 women delegates to Chicago, all expenses paid, for the midwest regional Unesco Commission meeting. They came back and formed a Milwaukee council to support the Unesco effort.

The unbelievable part of all this is that it is happening in the great midwest which is supposed to be the isolationist heart of America. People there aren't supposed to be interested in international affairs. Like fun they're not. As usual, the little people—the average citizens—are 'way ahead of their leaders.

WHAT SEEMS TO HAVE caught on here is the fact that Unesco gives the people something that they can work at—for peace. The United Nations itself, with its frustrations and vetoes, they may have lost confidence in. But Unesco they can understand.

If peace is brought to the world, it will have to come through schools and education. That's why the education lobby feels justified in putting a little heat on Congress to have part of the Marshall Plan money set aside for aid to educational reconstruction.

POPULAR SUPPORT is indicated in the fact that when the Polish motorship Batory cleared New York harbor recently, it carried, among other cargo, 900 pounds of pencils, notebooks, school supplies, books and clothing. It was bound for the Co-operative High School of Warsaw, Poland. It was collected at the Long Branch, N.J., high school at the suggestion of the biology and chemistry instructor, Miss Gertrude Mae Abbitt. First Miss Abbitt persuaded her fellow-teachers to "adopt" the faculty of the Warsaw high. Then the Long Branch student council decided to "adopt" Warsaw high.

Collection boxes were put in each assembly room. It wasn't long before they had five crates of school supplies. Shipping was handled free by the Polish consulate in New York. If the first shipment goes through all right, Long Branch will repeat in March.

American Folk Song

A Sweeping Social Change

By GEORGE McCARTHY

NEXT July 5 great social changes begin to operate in the United Kingdom. On that date the new social insurance that embodies the major recommendations of the Beveridge Plan will come into force. On that day every man and woman will be a beneficiary of a state scheme, which will hand out unemployment and sickness benefits, pensions, children's allowances, death grants and maternity payments.

This vast "cradle-to-the-grave" scheme embraces almost every aspect of our social lives here in Britain. A major part of it is the new National Health Service. It, too, will begin on July 5 and it will affect every man, woman and child in the country, the rich and the poor, the fit and the ailing.

At present the proposed service is running against difficulties because of a degree of opposition from the doctors, whose co-operation is vital to its success. Some of the doctors declare that the new plan is an end of the old freedom of choice, that it will alter for the worse, the age-old relationship between family doctor and patient, and that some practitioners will lose money by the change.

COMPREHENSIVE

The new service is extremely comprehensive. From next July everybody will be able to get from the doctor of his choice a free medical service. His medicine will be free; specialists and consultants will attend him without charge; he will get free spectacles if he needs them, and, if he is deaf, free aids to hearing. Expectant mothers will have gynaecologists in attendance, as well as special treatment before and after confinement. Dentistry treatment, fillings and dentures, will be supplied free. There will be no charge for surgical operations or hospitals, although anybody who chooses can pay for the privacy of small wards or private rooms.

There will be other changes. When we climb out of our immediate postwar material poverty, every town and city will have a health centre where nearly all doctors will have their surgeries. They will be filled with the most modern equipment that science and the public funds can supply.

NOT CHARITY

All this is free, yet it is not charity. Everybody will pay in the form of an insurance stamp. The National Health Service will cost every man in employment tenpence a week which covers himself, his wife and his children. Employers, and those who do no work, pay more.

But everybody has to pay, whether he takes advantage of the new service or not. And you do not pay for the National Health Service as a separate item. One stamp that costs four shillings and sevenpence for a man, and less for women and youths, pays for all your services, your pension and your unemployment benefits and your death grants.

You will observe that while the social wheel revolves, we remain concerned with our abiding preoccupations — production, output, exports, manpower. One measure has failed; the right and proper attempt to enroll in our great industrial efforts the drones and the won't-works. Last week they should have been registering in the hundreds for work of vital importance. But hardly any turned up. In Greater London only seven registered. Nobody will be very surprised. They are a tiny minority and dodging work is their main occupation.

INFLATION

There is much discussion of the inflation brought by sharply rising capital values and there has been the almost inevitable suggestion that this is the time to apply a capital levy. Sir Stafford Cripps, Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer, has refused to anticipate his Budget proposals, but few people believe that the levy is practical politics at this moment when we need to use all our available capital for industrial expansion. We shall see.

But life in Britain, despite our concentration on statistics, is gay enough. London and the south have so far escaped the snows and the frosts. Crowds fill the theatres and the cinemas. There is little variety in our restaurant food, but we go to restaurants just the same, if only to supplement our meagre domestic rations. Some cinema managers have warned us that they may have to close if the ban on American films goes on, but nobody will be seriously troubled.

Now the government have set up an inquiry into our own film industry and Mr. Harold Wilson has reported, mildly enough, that the Hollywood film makers do not appear to understand the gravity and reality of our dollar position, which has forced us to levy so prohibitive a tax on foreign films.

It may be that they have lived so long in the land of the golden shadows that they cannot understand life when it is real and earnest.

They should come to Britain. It might even cheer them up.

As Our Readers See It

APPRECIATED HELP

Will you please allow me sufficient space in your valued paper to offer my sincere gratitude to all who so kindly offered assistance when my car overturned on the Sooke Highway Sunday afternoon, Feb. 1; also for the many thoughtful inquiries by phone.

It is at such times one realizes the goodness in one's fellowman. It indeed was a miracle that we all escaped death or serious injury, and it is a disgrace, considering the excessive taxes we pay, coupled with B.C.'s exorbitant license fees, that the roads (especially on curves) are absolutely unsafe for any motorist to travel on; but as usual an accident has to happen before the "powers that be" wake up and have sand placed on the danger spots.

May I suggest a sign be placed near the approach of such dangerous icy curves, warning motorists of the condition of the road?

(Mrs.) L. M. SOARES,
751 Middleton Street.

SPORTS GRANTS

May I be allowed a little space in your valuable paper referring to an item published Feb. 6, wherein the chairman of the parks board, Mr. Kent, should say that no special grants will be given lawn bowling clubs this year. However, a little farther down in the same item we notice that just a little nibble to the tune of $900 was to be divided between the Victoria club and the Victoria West club.

It would be interesting to a lot of ratepayers to know just how much money there is handed out every year for sports and other concerns like the above.

The writer believes that it is the duty of the city and school board to provide all facilities of sport for children during their school years, after which newly-formed clubs should provide for themselves.

Like a lot of other ratepayers I am not interested in a lot of these games; but we are forced to support them through these lavish handouts.

Last year, at a parks board meeting, Chairman McTavish let it be known that around $4,000 was owed the city for concessions by various sports clubs. (I wonder if this was ever paid?) and, like Oliver Twist, they come for more, the only difference being soup on the one hand and money, or a nice piece of land, on the other.

I might mention I am interested in a game of golf but, like all members, we pay sufficient quarterly dues to support it and keep it going. I have yet to hear of a concession granted a golf club, not even a concession on water.

G. H. BEVAN,
1329 Fairfield Rd.

Unwanted Friends

Montreal Star

It is all very embarrassing politically. It suggests that the Communists, seeing no hope of power for themselves, are tying themselves to the party whose policies are closest to their own. Eventually, by infiltration, they would hope to take it over, or if that should prove impossible, mould its policies and practices closer to their heart's desire. The British Labor Party is having this same difficulty and Mr. Wallace, in the United States, has somewhat sheepishly asked the Communists not to be too active on his behalf. They are forced into the attitude of the man who says, "Heaven save me from my friends; I can look after my enemies myself."

Global Survey

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

WE SHOULDN'T LET the charges and counter-charges about who started the Second World War get us off the beam.

The vital thing to know is who began the "cold war" in which we now are engaged, and what it means.

The United States State Department has published captured Nazi documents purporting to show that Germany and Russia agreed to divide Poland between them, and that they also agreed Britain and the United States should be kept out of Europe, Asia and Africa. Moscow retorts that the United States, Britain and France provided Hitler with the strength to launch the war—that it was done with "a golden rain of American dollars" and by French and British diplomacy.

PROOF BY POLAND

Well, there can't be much argument about the partition of Poland, for we saw that actually carried out. And Nazi Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop testified during his war crimes trial at Nuernberg that Russia was Germany's willing partner in this division.

However, I'm much more concerned with our current "cold war" and the danger that it may get "hot." Who started that, and why? This column has answered those questions before, but they are so vital that we venture to repeat.

This "cold war" was started by the Soviet Union back in 1919 when the Comintern, or Third International, was formed. This was the general staff to supervise a world revolution for the establishment of communism in all countries.

TEMPORARY LULL

The crusade was pushed until Stalin came to power after Lenin's death in '24. Stalin temporarily pushed the world campaign to the background while he inaugurated his five-year plans to make Russia powerful industrially and militarily. He wanted to get set for eventualities.

The Soviet leader was credited by European observers with anticipating another world war that would bleed Europe white and provide the chaos which would give communism its chance. The important fact is that a distraught continent did provide a fertile field for the Red ism, backed by Russian arms, and a huge Communist empire was carved from eastern and central Europe.

Out of these circumstances have grown the "cold war," which now threatens western Europe and the rest of the world.

Mountains of argument will be developed about how the World War started. There is no argument about the "cold war" or its threat to free nations.

CLIPPED at RANDOM

CAR STYLES

Financial Post

Under Canada's dollar-saving program on automobiles, it appears that importing British and European cars is going to be relatively easy.

Customer preference is, of course, the fact that determines auto design. But, so far, because of the car shortage, the customer hasn't been able to make his opinion felt.

Will the people who are now making so many disparaging remarks about present American car design step up and buy the British cars which, for the most part, haven't gone in for Buck Rogers styling and race-track power plants? Auto men here don't think so. But we can't help wondering.

FOR CONVENIENCE SAKE

The Times of London

Some men retain throughout their life a marked reluctance to put anything away. "I like to be able to put my hand on things" is a favorite phrase of theirs, and they seek to cater for this predilection by encouraging in their private possessions a sort of passive anarchy. In other words, they leave everything lying about, firmly persuaded that under any other system their belongings would to all intents and purposes vanish. While other men find it not only possible but actually convenient to keep, say, their nail-scissors in a drawer, these would despair of ever finding them if the quest did not involve displacing several strata of irrelevant objects—two seed catalogues, an insurance policy, a batting glove, a map of Suffolk, a pack of patience cards, a small fossil, six unexpended Christmas cards, and a dentist's bill. A miscellany of this kind is not merely the best repository; it is the only repository for a pair of nail scissors; that is the conviction of these men, and it is really surprising how often they find what they are looking for.

The DOCTOR Says:

STREPTOMYCIN USEFUL AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Streptomycin is a substance which is related in a way to penicillin. Soon after its discovery, the possibility was considered that it might be useful in treating tuberculosis.

Testing the effect of a new drug or medicine requires a great deal of work. Fortunately, the Veterans' Administration and the Army and Navy Medical Departments entered into a co-operative plan, aimed at studying the effects of streptomycin on tuberculosis in human beings. Recently, a report of this study, based on 900 patients has been published.

Because tuberculosis is, by its nature, a long-lasting disease, final conclusions are not possible. Nevertheless, it has been confirmed that streptomycin is useful in assisting the treatment of certain kinds of tuberculosis.

It is especially helpful in tuberculosis of the meninges (membranes enveloping the brain and spinal cord) or tuberculosis meningitis, in tuberculous infection of the sinuses, in tuberculous ulcerations of the breathing tubes leading to the lungs, and in tuberculosis which has been carried to various parts of the body through the blood stream.

On the other hand, streptomycin proved to be of little, if any, value in tuberculosis involving the urinary tract or the bones and joints. It is not recommended for most kinds of tuberculosis of the lungs, at least at present.

Streptomycin is not a satisfactory substitute for other treatments which are already known to be valuable in treating tuberculosis.

Streptomycin is useful in several infections other than tuberculosis. However, if it continues to prove of value, even in only a few kinds of tuberculosis, it will be a boon to mankind.

Question: Could you please tell me what causes an enlarged thymus? Do you think X-ray treatment would help? My condition causes a heavy breathing, and a noise when breathing.

Answer: The cause of an enlarged thymus is not known. X-ray treatments are sometimes employed to try to cause this gland to shrink. It is also believed than an enlarged thymus may, in some cases, be the cause of noisy breathing by pressure on the breathing tubes.

Kotayama Resigns

TOKYO (AP)—Given the nod by Gen. MacArthur, Prime Minister Tetsu Katayama submitted his resignation to Hirohito today.

Katayama and his cabinet quit with the explanation they were "riding a whirlwind." They will stay on the job until a prime minister is chosen by the Diet.

Foreign Minister Hitoshi Ashida, president of the Democratic party, is mentioned as Katayama's successor.

Mayor Percy George will leave Victoria by the midnight boat today, to attend a meeting of the U.B.C.M. superannuation committee, of which he is chairman. He will remain in Vancouver for a meeting Friday, of the executive of the U.B.C.M., as he is first vice-president.

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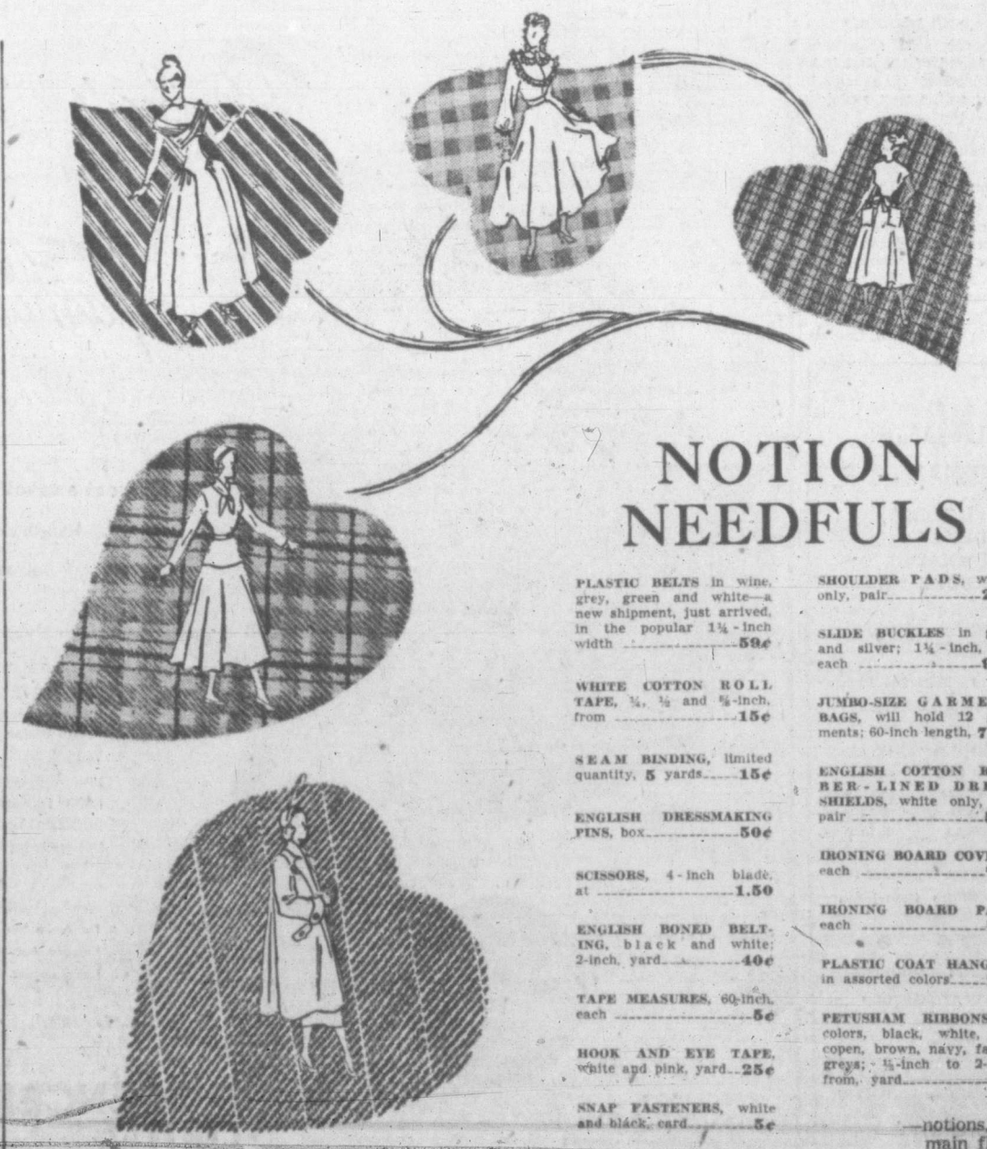

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—notions, main floor

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Exchange Conservation Measures Temporary, Abbott Tells Commons

OTTAWA (CP) — Finance Minister Abbott told the Commons Tuesday that even with all the expert advice available he could not hazard a guess as to how long unsettled world economic conditions would force Canada to keep operative the exchange conservation measures brought into efect last November.

Piloting the foreign exchange conservation bill through clause-by-clause study, Mr. Abbott reiterated that Canada as a hard currency—dollar—country could not prosper while there was an impoverished or unsettled soft currency—sterling—area.

He declined to estimate how soon European countries might be able to pay for Canadian purchases in U.S. dollars once the Marshall plan became effective. He felt it was "much too soon" to hazard a guess as to the future.

Shortly before adjournment Rodney Aramson, P.C., York West, Ont., moved that the word "emergency" be stricken from the title of the bill, because the current condition would be a chronic one unless the government changed its policy. He believed it eventually would lead Canada to currency devaluation.

SEEN AS TEMPORARY

Mr. Abbott did not agree the condition was chronic rather than an emergency.

No action was taken on the amendment and no clause of the 15-clause bill was adopted. It was not known when study of the measure would be resumed as debate on the Throne Speech was scheduled for today and Thursday.

As the debate swung freely across the floor, Jean Francois Pouliot, Ind. L., Temiscouata, Que., suggested Canada embark on a system of barfering with other countries of the world which had no U.S. dollars. This would show the U.S. that other countries could be independent of them. The U.S. dollar should be put aside.

"Why," he asked amid a chorus of approval, "should we always be subservient with respect to the American people?"

Opposition members, asking how long the exchange restrictions would last, said growers of fresh fruits and vegetables needed guidance in increasing their production.

Mr. Abbott said the condition was temporary and any firm expanding its production would have to do so at its own risk.

Day's Pay To Save World's Starving Children

From garbage dumps and litter piles, the survivors of the war in Europe and Asia seek to eke out food so that they may live. Many children are in this throng—some estimates placed at more than 400,000,000. To help save these children, Canadians are being asked to contribute $10,000,000 to the Canadian Appeal for Children. Similar appeals will be made in 26 other countries. Canadians are being asked to contribute one day's earnings.

Businessmen Needed To Improve Society

It is the hard, practical businessman with high ideals who can improve our society," Rev. George Biddle, rector of St. John's Anglican Church, told members of the Victoria Kiwanis Club at the 28th anniversary meeting of the club Thursday in the Empress Hotel.

Services clubs and kindred organizations play an important part in business life because of the high standard of ideals they practice. "One of the ideals of this club is that no one can live his best while another is living his worst," Mr. Biddle said.

Praise was given the club members for their close comradeship. "When an organization creates an impression of comradeship outside its membership it is established in the community," the speaker said. The comradeship amongst Kiwanians is widely known."

Carrying the idea of comradeship to the national level, Mr. Biddle noted: "There is no reason why one person should think he stands on a higher level than anyone else—specially in Canada where we are all laborers."

The speaker said Canadians should be proud of the fact it is a nation of laborers for as such it has learned self-respect and has earned outside respect. Canadians should also be proud of the fact their country has contributed in no little measure to the development of the United States, he said.

On this point Mr. Biddle noted some countries as close to the U.S. as Canada is, would have developed an inferiority complex. "Canada has outgrown any such complex," he said.

Mr Biddle noted that Canada and the U.S. would have to work increasingly closer together in future years. "These two countries are the only two nations in the world which can restore the economic health of our old world," he said.

The anniversary program was arranged for the meeting by Ralph Matthews. The speaker was introduced by William A. Patterson and thanked by Don Smith, vice-president of the club.

Permits issued by the city building inspector's office today included, one for a $1,000 alteration to a store and apartment, at 1257 Pandora Avenue; a $1,000 conversion of a single-family dwelling to a duplex, at 1602 Richmond Road; a $6,300 single-family dwelling, at 143 Buckley Street; a $700 addition to a store, at 828 Yates Street, and a $5,700 alteration to a store at 1017 Government Street.

Progress Records At Metropolitan Church

Reports presented at Metropolitan Church annual congregational meeting showed substantial increases in every department had been made, in some instances constituting a record.

The amount raised for all purposes which included $7,000 for missionary purposes and approximately $12,500 for the ministers' pension fund reached a total of over $45,000. The number of new members for the year was reported at 101. A hearty vote of appreciation was extended to Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitehouse who were complimented on the leadership they had given.

The following were elected for a period of three years: Session—Dr. J. A. Doyle, W. Jennings, E. B. Jones, Frank Lesley, Dr. Hartley Sargent, E. Wardley Smith, G. T. Moir, Alan G. Ovas, Albert Sullivan, Gerald Stelck.

Board of Stewards—Wesley Greig, Mrs. T. Hammond, R. N. E. Harris, A. Wilfrid Johns, Gerald Murphy, W. H. Ruffell, H. G. Shepherd, Major W. Stewart Smith, G. Walkey, J. W. Jones.

J. G. Morey of 1045 Burdett Avenue, has written the city asking to have a lot at the southwest corner of Richmond Road and Coronation Avenue rezoned, from a single-family dwelling district to commercial, for the purpose of constructing stores.

Classes Open For Pre-School Agers

Under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Farrow the children of the pre-school age classes of Esquimalt Community Centre, 1123 Colville Road, will hold a display Friday at 7.30 at the centre.

The children are between the ages of three and five. The program will show their accomplishments since the classes first opened one month ago and will include rhythm band, folk dancing, action songs, play acting and singing games.

The display is open to parents of the children and all other interested individuals.

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C.I.O., Philip Murray Facing Charge Of Political Spending

WASHINGTON (AP) — A United States federal grand jury today indicted the Congress of Industrial Organizations and its president, Philip Murray, on charges of violating the Taft-Hartley Act's political expenditures ban.

The law forbids spending of union funds for political purposes.

The indictment charges that Murray published an endorsement for a Maryland congressional candidate last July in the union-financed C.I.O. news.

Murray and the C.I.O. have openly defied the law and invited prosecution. They contend Congress had no right to enact it—that it conflicts with the constitution's guarantee of freedom of speech.

If the courts should find there is such a conflict, that section of the Taft-Hartley act would become void.

The grand jury sent the indictment to Judge Richmond Keech. A date for hearing of the case will be set later.

Murray, born in Scotland 61 years ago, long has been one of the best known labor leaders in the United States.

He wrote a signed editorial in the C.I.O. News last July 14 urging Baltimore voters to support Edward Garmatz, a Democrat, in a special congressional election. The next day Garmatz won the Congress seat over his Republican opponent.

The C.I.O. News is financed by union funds, so the union made no bones about political spending in this instance.

Its lawyers contend, however, that the Taft-Hartley act cannot be applied without violating the constitution's guarantee of freedom of the press.

Under the Taft-Hartley act, a union or corporation found guilty of political spending can be fined up to $5,000. Its officials can be fined up to $1,000 and jailed for a year.

Many lawyers say the law could be used against any newspaper owned by a corporation which takes sides in the 1948 election.

Palestine Jews Travel In Peril Of Arab Ambushes

Lurking among rocks of Palestine's rugged northern area, this band of Arabs is ready to ambush any Jews trying to reach the northern Hebrew settlements. Such a group recently surprised and mowed down 35 Jews.

Ready for battle with any Jews he sees is this Lebanese Arab, armed with rifle, hand grenades and ammunition bandoliers. He's a member of Arab forces reported concentrating for "holy war" over partition of Palestine.

Oak Bay Red Cross Re-elects President

Keith MacDougall was returned as president of the Oak Bay Red Cross unit at the annual meeting Tuesday afternoon in the municipal hall. Elected honorary president of the unit was Reeve R. A. B. Wootton.

Mrs. P. F. Curtis was named convener of the unit, Mrs. O. Hulme, honorary treasurer, and L. M. Foulkes, honorary secretary. Elected to serve as committee members were Mrs. R. S. O'Meara, Miss M. Curry, Mrs. H. Flavelle, Mrs. H. C. Macdowall and Mrs. C. Raven.

Miss Honor Nash, general convener for Victoria and district, praised the efforts of the unit's sewing workers for the quality of the 414 garments turned out during the past year. Without the garments from the Oak Bay workrooms the Victoria quota for supplying headquarters could not be met, she said.

Col. J. Q. Gillan, president of the Victoria and district Red Cross branch, noted Oak Bay canvassers, had raised $8,933 in last year's drive for funds.

Others to address the meeting were Reeve Wootton, Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns, and Rev. W. W. McPherson.

Jukes Says 'Isms' Thrive On Scarcity

Maj. A. H. Jukes, independent Social Credit candidate in Saanich, told an election meeting in Sidney that all "isms" from Liberalism to Communism thrive in conditions when there is only one bone to two dogs.

"Feed, clothe and educate a Communist and he would cease to take a jaundiced view of life," said Maj. Jukes. "Greed, revenue, class warfare and the like are spawned in scarcity. Party politics only thrive on the idea that there is not enough to go around, so political unions are formed to office seekers and healers intent on establishing a so-called legal claim to loot.

"The rich are the guinea pigs of society. If they prove they can build good house, have better food, clothes and health, and can educate themselves better, then we should turn to the remaining 99 per cent of society and ask ourselves whether we could not do the same for them. We have the means of doing so. Therefore, why not build up the poor, instead of starting a civil war between rich and poor."

No Rejuvenation Serum For Stalin

VIENNA (AP)—Russian civilian, military and newspaper circles Tuesday ridiculed a Vienna report published in the United States that Prime Minister Stalin was taking a rejuvenation serum. They said they could cast no light on the source of the story.

(This report was not carried by the Associated Press. Stalin is 69. A Soviet scientist, Alexander Bogolomets, once devised a serum which he said might enable men to live to the age of 150. Bogomolets himself died in July, 1946, at the age of 64.)

F. M. Wells, the Lord Mayor of London, has written Mayor Percy George stating that the sending of food parcels to Great Britain was "a wonderful work for which the people in this country will be everlastingly grateful." The letter was brought personally to Mayor George by A. Worthington, recently returned from the Old Country, who took the Victoria Mayor's greetings to the Mayor of London. "I understand that the Lord Mayor who has visited Canada but has come no further than Toronto, plans to visit both Victoria and Vancouver, on his next Canadian journey," said Mayor George.

Nova Scotia Coal Miners Vote On New Agreement

GLACE BAY, N.S. (CP)—Like a pall of coal dust swept away by a sudden gust of wind, the threat of a second Maritime coal mine strike in a year has been dissipated.

Although the contract between the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation and the United Mine Workers (C.C.L.) District 26 has not yet been signed, 13,000 soft coal miners will vote in a referendum Feb. 17 to decide the terms of the agreement.

Unlike last winter, the questions on the ballot do not refer to any possible strike action. They offer a choice of two company offers or rejection of both, and it is unlikely many miners will turn down both Dosco proposals.

The company's offers grew out of long sessions of union-company negotiations. Both sides gave ground. The union had asked a wage boost of $1.10 a day above the current $7.24 and presented a submission for revision of working conditions, most points of which are intelligible only to the man who works in the pit.

The company had offered an increase of 25 cents a day on condition the union accepted its 14-clause plan for changes in working conditions. Each rejected the other's submission on the chief points and the real bargaining got under way.

Following a week's tussle, the U.M.W. executive announced it was prepared to have its membership vote on two company proposals. One was an offer of 40 cents a day across the board and the other a 55-cent increase conditional on acceptance of a six-point plan for revision of working conditions.

The 13-man executive board of the union recommended the 40-cent offer to the membership on the grounds that the six-point plan would alter the vacation-with-pay plan and other traditional working conditions in most collieries.

PRICE GOES UP

Meanwhile, Dosco has jumped the price of coal 40 cents a ton, bringing the price here to $10.60 less truckage costs of $1.20 a ton.

If the offer is accepted, the basic daily rate wil be $7.64 with a top of $11.40 for operators of Joy mechanical loaders.

After the ballot results are known, wage negotiations will open with operators in the union's Minto, N.B., sub-district and with the smaller independent operators throughout Nova Scotia. The independents usually follow Dosco's lead.

Auction Carries On Despite Minor Fire

While an auction sale was in progress at 3.34 yesterday afternoon at 621 Newport Avenue, the home of the late Mrs. H. Bishop, Oak Bay firemen were called to put out a fire in the wallboard behind the fireplace in one of the main rooms.

The smell of smoke by persons at the auction resulted in the alarm to the fire department. Fire fighters told the auctioneer to carry on. They soon wiped out the fire danger.

Trustees Meet Sept. 20

VANCOUVER (CP) — The British Columbia School Trustees' Association will hold its annual convention here Sept. 20 to 22, it was announced today.

Forest Harvest Soars To All-Time Record During 1947

Statistics on British Columbia's 1947 log scale, released today by the provincial lands and forests department, showed the total cut at 3,991,603,707 F.B.M., 257,388.9 cubic feet, 44,777,030 lineal feet of poles, 134,979 cords of fuel wood and 592,923 hewn ties.

The cut represents a 35 per cent increase over the 1946 cut and represents the largest annual harvest ever taken from the forests of British Columbia, eclipsing previous annual cuts by a considerable amount. The log scale in 1946 was 2,964,971,700 F.B.M.

More Douglas fir was cut than any other species during the year and the Vancouver forest district, which includes all Vancouver Island, continued as the largest producing area of the province.

The huge harvest, which gives employment both directly and indirectly to almost one-third of the working population of the province, went to feed the heavy domestic and foreign demands for lumber in connection with home building and other building projects.

While the log scale showed a marked gain other minor cuts showed losses. The cut of poles fell from 68,049,010 lineal feet, while the fuel wood cut fell from 158,217 cords. On the other hand hewn ties cut rose from 503,704

The year was marked by a freedom from major forest fire closures of the woods and from major labor disputes. While there were no major forest closures during 1946, a strike tied up forest operations for almost six weeks.

Cameron To Address C.C.F. Meeting Here

Colin Cameron, C.C.F. candidate in Saanich for the Feb. 23 provincial by-election, will address a meeting at 857 Pandora Avenue Thursday. Mr. Cameron will also make an award to the division which has secured the highest percentage of new members during a recent membership drive.

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Women's Club To Hear Lecture About Africa

The Women's Canadian Club will meet at the Empress Hotel ballroom on Tuesday at 2.45 to hear Col. C. N. Hoy of South Africa, who has been speaking to Canadian Clubs of eastern Canada and now is touring the west.

So important did the South African government feel about this tour that it paid his transoceanic expenses.

Col. Hoy is a Canadian who went to the Boer War and remained in South Africa. He attended McGill University, served in the civil war in German East and West Africa and during the First Great War was second in command of a Cape Corps regiment, receiving the D.S.O. and Bar for his distinguished service. After the war he was superintendent of British immigration into Transvaal and Rhodesia and he knows Africa intimately.

During the last war, although Col. Hoy was past military age, he was in charge of training camp for the Cape Corps having 25,000 men and 350 officers under his command. With his address he will show films of the country. His subject will be entitled "South Africa—Its People, Its Problems."

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Visitors From India, May Live In City

Maj.-Gen. R. P. L. Ranking, C.B., C.B.E., M.C., a former Indian army officer, and Mrs. Ranking are visitors in the city at present, staying at the Clive Apartment Hotel while they visit Mrs. Ranking's mother, Mrs. A. Elder, and her uncle, Mr. O. A. Butters, who live in Victoria. Maj.-Gen. and Mrs. Ranking left India in early January. At present their plans are rather unsettled, but there is a possibility they may make their home here. Mrs. Ranking was senior commander of the Women's Auxiliary Corps in India from 1942 to 1946.

Mrs. A. W. Bradley Re-elected Regent

Mrs. A. W. Bradley was re-elected regent of H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill Chapter, I.O.D.E., in annual meeting, held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. D. W. Carter, 777 St. Patrick Street.

Other officers elected were Lorraine Irvine, first vice-regent; Donna Mawdsley, second vice-regent; Helen Stenseth, secretary; Barbara Langthorne, Echoes secretary; Iola Gordon, treasurer and Rita Price, standard bearer.

Reports given during the meeting showed an active membership of 12, with two new members received during the year.

Treasurer Iola Gordon announced total receipts as $101.66, added to a balance of $72.07. Disbursements amounted to $133.37, leaving a total on hand of $40.36.

Dorothy Irvine, child and family welfare convener, reported candy and sweater sent to each child at the Solarium at Easter also candy at Hallowe'en and Christmas gifts. A sum of $8 was donated to the Jessie R. Burke Cancer Fund.

Ex-service convener, Jean Carter, reported a magazine subscription made to the Veteran's Hospital. Also six food parcels sent to families in Great Britain.

A sum of $50 was given to the Second War Memorial Fund and $2 to Girl Guides.

The chapter held a daffodil bridge tea in the spring and a rummage sale, proceeds of which were used for the year's work. Special guests at the meeting were Mrs. J. L. Ford, regent of Municipal Chapter, who brought an encouraging message to the junior members and Mrs. F. Mawdsley, who also spoke briefly.

Student Nurses Celebrate Presentation Of Blue Bands

Fifteen members of the Royal Jubilee Hospital class of '49 gathered for a dinner party Tuesday evening at the Olde England Guest House, to celebrate receiving their "blue bands" which mark them senior student nurses. The long table, set in the oak-paneled dining-room, was decorated in a blue and white motif, and lighted by tall candles in antique Georgian silved holders. Those present were Ruth Wood, Edmonton; Dorothy Halstrood, Nakusp, B.C.; Isabel McKay, North Bend, B.C.; Helen Harrett, Kamloops; Joan Gregory, Michel, B.C.; Lorna Rutherford, Kristino, Sask.; Dolly Damery, Port Alberni; Lois Wren, Duncan; Ethel Keeping, Calgary; Jean Galbraith, Kimberley, B.C.; Norene Beaton, Medicine Hat; Ada Leopold, Stranraer, Sask.; Jean Wilson, Molly Murphy and Betty McKinnon, Victoria.

Dinner At Admiral's House

Rear-Admiral G. Rollo Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., commanding officer Pacific coast, and Mrs. Mainguy are entertaining tonight with a dinner at Admiral's House, H.M.C. Dockyard. Invited guests are Lieut. (S) and Mrs. F. E. Wade, Lieut. and Mrs. D. M. Waters, Lt.-Cmdr. and Mrs. G. L. Connor, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nation and Lieut. W. G. Hunt.

'Bon Voyage' Tea

In honor of Mrs. Ethel Trickey and Miss Gertrude Greaves, who leave shortly to make their home in Australia, Mrs. G. A. Vantreight Jr., was a tea hour hostess Tuesday afternoon at her home on Tyndall Avenue, Gordon Head. The honor guests were presented with "bon voyage" corsage bouquets on their arrival. Afternoon tea was served from a table centred with an arrangement of daffodils and other spring flowers. Mrs. C. A. Goodwin presided at the urns and Mrs. Lloyd Main assisted the hostess as serviteur. Other invited guests were Mrs. W. H. Yardley Sr., Mrs. C. E. Hopper, Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, Mrs. G. A. Vantreight Sr., Mrs A. J. Trounson, Miss Mamie Houlihan, Miss Isabel Denman and Miss A. M. Williamson.

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Mrs. I. W. Sneath of Regina, flew from Vancouver on the week-end, en route to California, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Westgate, 1632 Hollywood Crescent.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Waby and family, residents of Langford for the past seven years, left Vancouver Island, early this week, to make their home at Enderby, B.C

Mrs. J. W. Duncan was a luncheon hostess at the Empress Hotel today in honor of a Valentine Day bride-elect, Miss Patricia Pendray. Her guests included the bridal attendants. Covers were laid for eight.

Mrs. Herbert Parker of Toronto and her daughter, Miss Margaret Parker, arrived in Victoria yesterday to attend the wedding of Miss Patricia Pendray which will take place this Saturday. Miss Parker, sister of the groom-elect, will be one of the bridal attendants.

Alberta and Saskatchewan guests at Cherry Bank hotel include Mr. and Mrs. George Penfold of Cupar, Sask., who arrived in the city Tuesday and will spend the next two weeks in the city, and Mrs. Albert Swartz of Blackie, Alberta. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. "Bob" Watt of Winnipeg are also guests at Cherry Bank.

Mrs. C. R. Cobb has been a visitor in the city from Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. Reg Mylrea, Cedar Hill Road. Mrs. Robb, who formerly was standard bearer for Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., came to Victoria especially for the annual meeting of the chapter, held Monday afternoon at Craighurst Lodge, Esquimalt.

Mrs. F. R. Nixon returned to her Roslyn Road home on the week-end, following a week's visit in Vancouver, when she was a guest at Ailsa Lodge.

In honor of Mrs. N. H. Neale, who came from Ireland late last year to be the guest of her brother, Mr. Sandham Graves, Mrs. L. B. Howey entertained with an afternoon tea Tuesday at her King George Terrace home. The invited guests were Mesdames T. A. Kennedy, D. K. Kennedy, F. Knight, H. C. Anderson, A. Hill, H. Beck, W. Bevan and Miss M. Currie.

Miss Lillian Roberts, a February bride-elect, was honored Tuesday evening when Mrs. Robert Roberts entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home, 339 Arnot Street. Gifts were brought in a tea wagon, decorated in Valentine theme, surmounted by a miniature cupid and wheeled in by Miss Cynthia Day and Miss Vivian Roberts. Corsage bouquets were presented to the guest of honor, to her mother, Mrs. William Roberts, and to Mrs. R. J. Crozier-Smith, mother of the groom-elect. Guests were Mrs. W. Roberts, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. S. Shipton, Mrs. M. H. Hurley, Mrs. Herbert Raines, Mrs. G. E. Day, and Misses Marion Roberts, Dorothy Roberts, Sylvia Day and Evelyn Roberts.

Club Calendar

Women's World Day of Prayer service, St. David's Church Hall, Cordova Bay, Friday at 3:30 . . . Navy League Chapter I.O.D.E., annual meeting Friday, Strathcona Hotel, luncheon at 1.

Overseas Wives' Club, tonight at 7.30 at Y.W.C.A. . . . Liberal Women's Forum, Friday at 2.30, Y.W.C.A. Speaker, Mrs. J. L. Gates.

Mabel Burnett Circle, Valentine Tea, Thursday at 2.30 at home of Mrs. F. Huelin, 1218 Meadow Place. Members will bring parcels for auction sale.

Court Maple Leaf Sewing Circle, Thursday afternoon, at home of Mrs. W. Jordan, 1621 Fernwood Road, and regular court meeting Thursday at 8, Diggon Hall, 1012 Langley Street, members to bring refreshments.

FILMS SHOWN

Two National Film Board films, "Music in America" and "The House I Live In," shown through the courtesy of the Victoria Public Library, were much enjoyed at the Monday night meeting of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. W. H. Wilson acted as projectionist. President Miss Minnie Beveridge presided at the business session preceding the films. Reports of officers were heard and final plans made for International Night, to be celebrated on Feb. 23 in the clubrooms. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Stella Gummow. Tentative plans were made for a rummage sale the first week in March, with Mrs. Lillian Smith acting as convener of arrangements. Special guest during the evening was Mrs. M. Kensit, a visitor in the city from eastern Canada.

Special Guests — Mrs. Tom Hammond and Mrs. Harry Johns were honored guests at the meeting of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, held Monday evening at the home of the president, Muriel Knight. The program consisted of short talks by each member on subjects related to the history of France. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

Attractive Bride Weds Navy Man Here

—Photo by Fort-Cowx-Macphail.

The former Mary Allison Kerr, pictured above, is the bride of Wtr. Trevor Edward Lee, R.C.N. The marriage took place in the Church of Our Lord Jan. 31, and following a honeymoon in Seattle, Wtr. and Mrs. Lee plan to make their home at 1349 Grant Street, Victoria.

Clubwomen's News

Banquet Planned—At the regular meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge, with W.P. Mrs. E. Tapley presiding, plans were made for a banquet to be held March 5. Mrs. M. Raines and Mrs. E. Sladden are in charge of reservations.

Reports Heard—Mrs. E. J. Bonfoy and Mrs. A. J. Butler, delegate to the recent Presbyterial, gave reports at the meeting of Centennial Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society, held Monday afternoon with the president, Mrs. J. Alton, in the chair. Mrs. J. Cox gave a resume of the sixth chapter of the study book, "The Price of Splendor," and Mrs. Alton took devotionals and gave a short talk on the United Nations organization. Members were reminded of the world day of prayer on Friday at 3 in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Turkey Supper — The home of Mrs. C. Chislett, Prior Street, was the scene of a turkey supper Monday evening when members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Typographical Union met for their annual meeting. Officers received corsage bouquets, and were presented with a gift by the retiring president. Toasts to the King, the Typographical Union and the Women's Auxiliary were proposed, and a one-minute silence was observed in memory of members who had died during the year. Following the dinner, court whist was played. Next meeting will be held Thursday at 2, at the Jones Block, Fort Street, when officers for the coming year will be installed.

Jill Tars' Club, Y.W.C.A., Thursday at 8. Valentine party with prizes for best trimmed hats.

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Milk Fund Chapter's Major Project

The public schools milk fund, always a special project of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., received a sum of $286 during 1947, it was reported by the treasurer, Mrs. H. Bell, at the annual meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the home of the regent, Mrs. William Ellis, Thorpe Place.

Mrs. Bell also announced general receipts as $899.35, with disbursements $583.66. Receipts in postwar fund, closed at end of the year, were $154.78.

Secretary Mrs. H. G. Price in her resume of the year's work, spoke of contributions to isolated families fund, secondary education, Second War memorial fund and cancer fund. Monthly visits were made to the Jubilee Hospital maternity wing, she said, and books, magazines, and flowers left for patients. Parcels of food, good used clothes, blankets and knitted wear had been sent to families overseas.

Moneys for chapter work were raised through a rummage sale, bingo games and a bridge party.

Mrs. F. Wyman, educational secretary, reported $30 voted for secondary education, $25 for a Victoria College bursary and magazine subscriptions given to the Veteran's Hospital.

One hundred and twenty-four knitted garments of all kinds were turned in during the year, Mrs. M. Stewart, postwar convener, reported; parcels of used clothing were sent to a mother with six children and 16 food parcels collected, packed and sent to Britain.

"We have done nothing spectacular," Mrs. Ellis said, in her regent's report, "but we have worked together steadily and we have fulfilled our obligations."

Mrs. Ellis made a special appeal for regular weekly donations from members for the Save the Children Fund.

A report was also heard from the standard-bearer, Mrs. G. Matheson.

Nominations committee, Mrs. H. G. Smith, Mrs. C. A. Booth and Mrs. F. E. Dowdall, reported the following officers elected for the coming year: Regent, Mrs. William Ellis; first vice-regent, Mrs. T. G. Clarke; second vice-regent, Mrs. T. A. Clarke; secretary, Mrs. H. G. Price; treasurer, Mrs. H. Bell; educational secretary, Mrs. F. Wyman; Echoes secretary, Mrs. F. Spencer and standard bearer, Mrs. G. Leeming.

Re-elected regent . . . Mrs. William Ellis

During the meeting, Miss Dorothy Simpson was accepted as a new member of the chapter.

A letter was read by Mrs. Ellis, from Mrs. Margaret Ival, a founder of the chapter, now living in Vancouver.

Following the business session, afternoon tea was served from a table centred with low bowl of pink and mauve stocks and purple heather, gathered in the regent's garden. Mrs. P. E. Corby and Mrs. S. S. Barker, presided at the urns. Mrs. Geoffrey Ellis and Mrs. G. Leeming convened tea arrangements.

Special guests were Mrs. J. L. Ford, regent of Municipal Chapter, who spoke briefly to the members, Mrs. O. M. Jones, honorary regent of the chapter, and Miss Ruth Jones. An honored charter member also present was Mrs. M. E. Langford.

Presentations were made by Mrs. Ellis to Mrs. G. Matheson, retiring standard bearer and to Mrs. S. S. Barker, retiring first vice-regent. Corsage bouquets were presented to Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Jones.

Believes That Women Could Be Factor For World Peace

TORONTO (CP)—Silver-locked Mrs. R. J. Marshall, one of Canada's prominent women, has successfully combined the careers of clubwoman and homemaker.

Mrs. Marshall, who lives in Agincourt, 14 miles east of Toronto, considers her second allegiance is to the hundreds of women she leads as president of the Canadian Association of Consumers and the National Council of Women. She does all her own baking, grows hyacinths and has brought up four children.

The two national organizations as well as many other club duties keep Mrs. Marshall working full time on a voluntary basis. How she remains serene through all her club work and homemaking is a source of amazement to her friends.

She tries to keep her evenings free of appointments in order to spend as much time as possible with her husband, an industrial engineer. Her children are all grown up and married, but while they were living at home, Mrs. Marshall made sure they never came into an empty house.

"I've always tried to give my children a feeling of security," she said.

CLEAR THINKERS

Mrs. Marshall loves working with women because they are "clear and constructive thinkers, and if well informed and united, could hold the peace of the world." Her only criticism of women is their lack of persistence—"so often we don't finish what we start."

However, Mrs. Marshall could never be accused of quitting halfway through a job. Her club activities started with the Alumnae Association of McMaster University, Hamilton, her alma mater before she was married. While her family was growing up she devoted herself to local church and women's organizations.

Since then she has gone into the provincial and national field and has been president and honorary president of "more organizations than I can count."

She is past president of the Toronto branch of the Federation of University Women, honorary president of the Women's Home Mission Board of the Baptist Convention of Ontario, homemaker representative of the Zonta organization, on the Royal Commission on education in Ontario, on the national executive of the Canadian Committee of Refugees, and many others.

Black Still Popular

PARIS (AP)—Paris' opening style shows disclosed it's going to be a black spring.

Fully half the dresses, suits and coats at the openings were black or heavily trimmed in black.

Hats apparently are going to remain in the odd and ornamental stage. Some of them teeter forward on the brow, some on the side of the head, and only a few in the centre. Feathers and flowers are the decorative mode. A few hats and gowns of bright cotton and silk prints took male spectators out of the doldrums.

New Silhouette—Tiered silhouette fashions, 1948's gift to the very tall and slender woman, is not without possibilities of flattering adaption to her shorter sisters. Divert cross-wise line of pleated bias or straight overlapping peplums to diagonal angles, giving an illusion of longer body measurement. A wrapped spiral peplum on a sheer fabric dress is a particularly effective means of carrying out an eye-deceiving method of elongation.

Let's Eat!

Dried fruits make excellent ingredients for winter salads because they are filled with energy-producing sugar. Raisins are over 66 per cent fruit sugar.

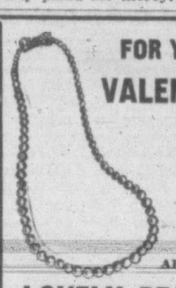
To save wheat, plan open-faced sandwiches. Make them hearty with thick, good-tasting topping. Ripe olives, mayonnaise and salmon mixed together, spread on a single slice of bread and toasted, always bring calls for more.

Pitted ripe olives are ideal for casseroles, to cut into rings or to stuff. The easiest way of preparing pitted olives at home is by using a cherry pitter. You'll find cherry pitters in dime stores and houseware departments again. Pit the olives exactly the same way you would pit a cherry.

Tarts are fun to make and fun to eat. Combine sliced canned cling peaches and sour, canned red cherries for a delicious filling. Sweeten to taste and thicken with cornstarch. Spoon into baked tart shells and serve with a topping of whipped cream.

Tarts not only look like a party, but they make dessert service extra easy for the hostess. Fill baked tart shells with sliced canned cling peaches and pour a spoonful of melted currant jelly over each. Chill and top with a dob of whipped cream.

Stretch To Relax—If nerves and tensions have been tightening all day, go in for a few stretching exercises. Hook toes under the footboard, catch the headboard of your bed with your hands and stretch muscles until they plead for mercy.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I am a man and I know what I am talking about. This idea that men should do all of the courting and that it is unfeminine for a woman to even let a man know that she admires him causes a lot of heartbreak. So I say let the girls have the same right to propose as the men. There wouldn't be so many old maids and old bachelors if women were free to pop the question.

COMMONSENSE

Answer: I fully agree with you, Mr. Man. For it is certainly a senseless custom that gives women the right to do everything else under the sun, except the thing they want to do most, and that is to have the privilege of selecting the husband they want and with whom they expect to spend the balance of their lives.

GIRLS SELF-SUPPORTING

Of course, in the old days when women had no way of earning money, it was manners for a woman to wait until she was asked before she wished her support on a man, but now when practically every girl has a trade by which she can not only support herself but a husband, if she happens to get a Weary Willie, there is no reason why she shouldn't take the initiative in love-making and get her pick, instead of having to take what she can get.

Personally, I am strong in the belief that if women were free to do the proposing there would not only be more marriages, but happier ones. For husbands are a matter of taste, and the woman who gets her heart's desire in one spends her life in catering to him and trying to please him and thanking God for her luck.

'New Look' Is Now Lovely Silhouette

PARIS (AP)—Top-flight dress designer Lucien Lelong has performed a much-needed surgical operation on the "new look."

—Using elegance and moderation as his instruments he has pruned it down to a wearable and lovely silhouette.

In brief, he has put a steadying influence on a mode which, if allowed to run riot, is in danger of growing to monstrously ugly proportions.

He has set his length at roughly 11 inches from the ground, lowering it for cocktail dresses, often graduating evening gowns from 10 inches in front down to ground level at the back.

For the rest of his silhouette he relies entirely on cutting technique to achieve hip fullness.

In his sports and day wear, skirts are free-swinging with pleats, both pressed and unpressed, falling freely from the hips.

In several numbers he doesn't release the pleats until thigh or knee level, which gives a chic tailored effect. On evening gowns his skirt treatment ranges from ballet to pencil-line but none of them cramp leg movement.

By intricate designing he creates hip fullness by folding, tucking and swathing, often draping and lifting fullness to the back or side.

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Orange Apples

Six medium-sized tart apples, 3 teaspoons butter, ¾ cup orange juice, 1 teaspoon grated orange peel, ¾ cup sugar.

Core apples and place in baking dish. Fill each cavity with ½ teaspoon butter and 2 tablespoons sugar. Cover bottom of pan with orange juice and grated peel and bake, covered, in moderately hot oven (375 degrees-400 degrees F.) for 30 to 40 minutes. Baste apples several times with syrup. Remove from oven and cool. Stuff with mixture of ½ ounce of cream cheese, ¾ cup chopped walnut meats, ½ cup chopped celery, 3 tablespoons salad dressing. Serve on salad greens. Serves six.

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Taft Declares U.S. Communists Come To Unions In Canada

GARY, Ind. (AP)—The Taft-Hartley law is driving Communists out of unions in the United States, and into Canadian unions, Republican Senator Robert Taft of Ohio declared today.

He brought his campaign for presidential delegate support to this organized labor stronghold after hearing Illinois audiences applaud his demand for a federal tax cut.

Declaring Communists had found their easiest road to infiltration in unions, Taft told Gary service clubs in a prepared address:

"Today those Communist members are resigning, as one did this week in Washington. My Canadian friends tell me that several mining unions there are being swamped with Communists who have left the United States because they no longer can make use of their favorite device of infiltration."

Taft did not otherwise identify the union official to whom he referred.

But he voiced a new challenge to labor leaders seeking repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act.

"The heads of some of the national unions got themselves out on a limb in their denunciation of the law and now they cannot afford to admit the mistake they have made," he declared.

With a mid-afternoon stop at Hammond, Ind., for his brief talk, Taft planned to hurry back to Chicago for further political conferences tonight.

Air Navigation School Opens Soon

OTTAWA—Reopening of the R.C.A.F. air navigation school at Summerside, P.E.I., is to take place late in March of this year when the first navigation course in the postwar plan is scheduled to commence, it was announced today by Hon. Brooke Claxton, Minister of National Defence. Ground instruction only is to be given at the school at present, but eventual plans call for an air navigation centre which will make it second-to-none in North America.

First courses to be given at the school have been designed to train veteran navigators and pilots as instructors for the R.C.A.F. flying schools and for the air navigation school itself. Specialist navigation courses are slated to commence next autumn, and these will be followed by basic courses for new entry aircrew, both pilots and radio-navigators.

Flights to navigation schools in Great Britain and in the United States will be included in the specialist course, in addition to two "high latitude" northern flights from Whitehorse, Y.T., or Churchill, Man. Purpose of these polar flights will be to provide students with practical experience in far northern flying, a task which requires special technique to overcome navigation problems peculiar to Arctic regions. The specialist course is one of the most exacting in the R.C.A.F.

Also at Summerside will be the research and development section (navigation) of the R.C.A.F., which will work on development of new techniques and methods of air navigation.

Canadian Company Wants Gas From U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Canadian gas company which said it may have to go out of business unless it gets United States gas Tuesday asked for priority over certain United States users.

The Union Gas Company Ltd. of Windsor, Ont., asked the power commission for priority over demands of American industrial consumers on the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company, Kansas City, Mo., for gas for boiler fuel or other non-processing purposes.

The company also asked for equal treatment with other customers regarding off-peak gas for storage purposes.

The company said restrictive limitations of a previous power commission order prevented Panhandle from delivering gas except for small amounts on two weekends last summer.

The company said it had been unable to obtain gas supplies in Canada.

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Polish D.P.'s Make Long Trek From Palestine To Their Homeland

Though many refugees are trying to flee Poland and other Communist-dominated countries of Europe, there are some groups of wartime D.P.'s trying to get back to their native lands. One such group, containing 143 Polish refugees, recently arrived in Naples, Italy, from Palestine, where they had settled temporarily after long wartime wandering. Most of them had fought against the Germans when Hitler invaded Poland in 1939 and had then fled to Russia. From there they trekked across Persia to join Allied forces in the Middle East. Photos below show them in Naples, on their way home to Poland under care of the International Refugee Organization.

Debarked from the Ss. Patris, refugees, accustomed to hardship, prepare to spend the night on the dockside, awaiting the special train on which they'll return to Poland.

Refugees load their few possessions on the special train at Naples. Trip to Poland takes 10 to 12 days, due to delays at frontier zones.

The kitchen car is the pride of the D.P.'s train staff. The "chef" was an army cook with the British 8th Army.

A car on the specially-equipped train is set aside for these infants, going to a homeland they never saw because they were born in exile. They get regular medical attention.

New Spring Wheat Offered For Seeding In Eastern Canada

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's wheat scientists, whose experiments produced sawfly-resistant Rescue and rugged Regent and Renown strains for the prairie farmers, has come up with a new spring wheat called Cascade, especially developed for growing in eastern Canada.

The Agriculture Department announced today that the new strain, developed by the cereal division of the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa, now is available to farmers. Limited quantities of seed are being offered for next spring's seeding.

Like Rescue, which beat the prairie sawfly and rust-resistant Renown, Cascade was developed to serve a special purpose—this time to meet the frequent shortage of soft white wheat for the cake and pastry trade. It has been in the development stage since 1938.

Cascade is a white, semi-hard beardless wheat and resulted from a number of crosses of low-protein yet rust-resistant types. Under exacting tests during the last few years it has proved to be of excellent yielding ability.

In creating Cascade, the first cross was between quality "A," white, spring variety and Pacific Bluestem, a low protein variety. This produced a family which included a number of white and relatively low protein types.

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Premier Scores Opposition As Profiteering Probe Starts Work

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons sent its special price-investigating committee into action Tuesday with a 120 to 80 vote of approval as Prime Minister King capped a week-long debate on the enabling resolution with a heated denunciation of the "delaying" tactics of opposition parties.

The 16-man committee, clothed with the authority of a Royal Commission to probe the causes of the rising cost of living, promptly held an organization meeting during the evening, preliminary to embarking on a lengthy inquiry aimed at searching out hoarding and profiteering in the price field.

Health Minister Martin, elected unanimously to the chairmanship of the committee, indicated the initial investigations would be into high prices of bread, butter, meat, vegetables, shoes and clothing.

NOT A SMOKESCREEN

Mr. Martin said he was confident the members would not permit it "to be used as a smokescreen."

"They will not let it delay action," he said. "In saying that the facts must be exposed, we should bear in mind that we are not a white-washing committee, nor, on the other hand, will this committee be used to 'smear' anyone.

"This is a fact-finding committee. Our findings will, we trust, have a salutary effect, but no one who has acted fairly in setting prices need fear this investigation. But we should act without fear or favor."

Earlier in the House, closing a debate which he himself had opened a week ago, Prime Minister King charged that the opposition, with flights of "declamation" and "ridicule," "angry displays" and "threats of boycott,' had attempted to belittle and "obscure" the importance of the committee and make it "as difficult as possible" to have it appointed.

At the same time, he turned down Opposition demands that the committee be given policy-making authority, asserting that it already had "all the powers of a Royal Commission" and warning that responsible government would be "slowly undermined" if powers of policy were bestowed on committees.

Mr. King, vigorous despite his 73 years and with his voice at times rising in anger, said the first necessary step to take in combatting the rising cost of living was to invetigate the causes, and that was what the government planned to do.

The Opposition parties had no agreement whatever on policy, "but when it comes to a question of trying to embarrass the government they are ready to join hands and dance together merrily enough." But the public had not been "deceived by the performance."

POSITION OF HOARDERS

"I can understand gentlemen who may have been doing some hoarding complaining about an investigation into the questions of hoarding and profiteering," Mr. King said. "I can understand them not liking the idea of a committee that will have all the powers necessary to discover these things. And in that way I can understand opposition to a committee of this kind.

"However, I find it difficult to discover any ground for complaint against a committee which will seek to serve the public by discovering as soon as possible what are the causes that account for the recent rise in the cost of living in our country."

When the question was put to a vote, Progressive Conservative and C.C.F. members joined solidly in opposing passage of the resolution, while the Social Credit group and five Independent members sided with the government in expressing support.

SAANICH BY-ELECTION

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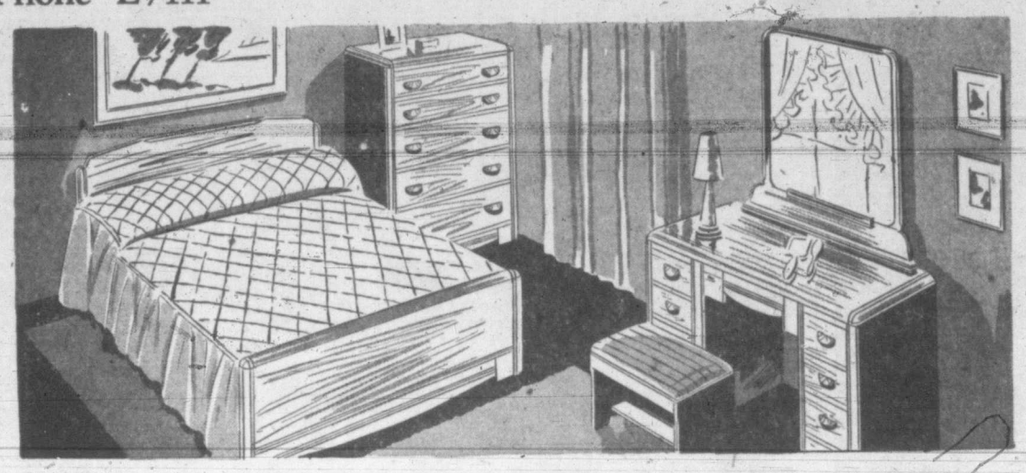

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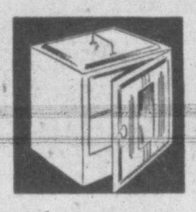

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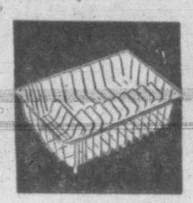

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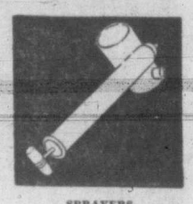

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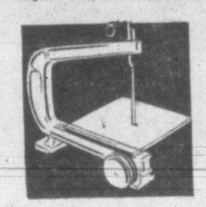

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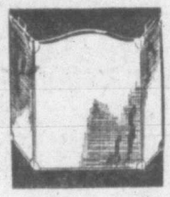

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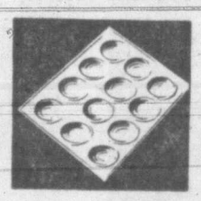

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For small muffins or tarts, round or flat-bottom style. 6 to a tin ..... 79¢

KEM-TONE SPECIAL
Covers wallpaper, walls, beaverboard in 1 coat. Complete with roller, tray and 1 quart of Kem-Tone 2.49

DOUBLE BOILERS
1½-pint size for baby's food, icings, puddings, etc. Each ..... 98¢

OLD ENGLISH WAX
Special . . . One 2-lb. tin of paste wax and a 25c bottle of Scratch Remover, all for ..... 98¢

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1 quart No-Rub wax and 1 lamb's wool applier. Both for ..... 98¢

DIC-A-DOO PAINT CLEANER
Cleans walls and painted surfaces easily and effectively. Won't harm finish. 1-lb. t. ..... 22¢

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Better quality pure corn brooms in 4-strand style. Smooth-finished handle. Each 1.25

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Sturdy, smoothly finished . . . collapses when not in use. Extra good value at only 2.25

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Pure woven, mellow baskets with convenient end handles. Only 3.50

GARBAGE CANS
Bale-handle type with close-fitting lid. Galvanized, won't rust. 50 only, each 2.19

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Handy for apartments or for washing small items. Side-handle style in small size. Each ..... 60¢

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KITCHEN WASTE CANS
Step-on type in white with American Beauty rose design red trim. Each 1.75

CHROME-PLATED COPPER KETTLES
Whistling style, non-scald type in heavy copper that lasts a lifetime. Each 4.95
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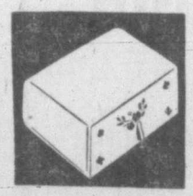

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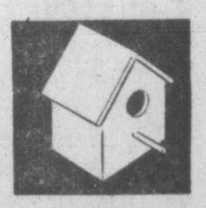
EGG BEATERS
8-wing type. Smooth running and speedy. Useful dozens of times in the home. Each ..... 89¢



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Poaches 4 eggs at a time to just the degree you like. Aluminum with separate compartments. Each 1.98

LONG MIRRORS
Unpainted, smoothly finished, ready to hang on back of door or in hall. Size 12x46 inches 3.95

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Doubles as sandwich toaster, removable plates. Best quality, guaranteed element 17.95

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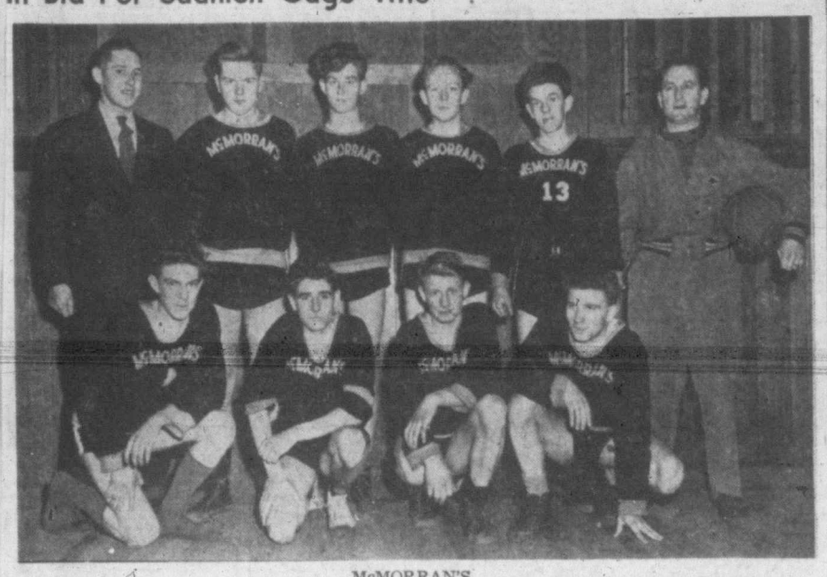

McMORRAN'S

Winners of the semifinal round of the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League playoffs, McMorran's intermediate B boys' cage quintette will meet Sooke tomorrow night at Sooke in the final. Winner of the total-point series will qualify for the first round of the lower island playoffs. From left to right, back row, follows: Eric McMorran, manager; Richard McMorran, S. Beaveridge, R. Wells, G. Preston and Noel Andrew, coach; front row, F. Preston, D. Garraway, M. Robson, D. Gillespie. K. Marston was absent when the picture was taken.

Hockey Clubs Get Nicknames In Odd Ways

World Famous Police Unit Provided New York Rangers With Monicker

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)

The six N.H.L. teams have such nicknames as Red Wings, Maple Leafs, Rangers, Bruins, Canadiens and Black Hawks. Hockey fans everywhere take these names for granted but did you ever stop and wonder just how these monickers came about?

What made Detroit call its team the Red Wings? Why did Toronto and New York pick Maple Leafs and Rangers respectively as the names of their ice squads? Why was Boston called the Bruins, Chicago the Black Hawks, and how did the name Canadiens make its way into the sports world?

The Detroit entry was originally known as the Cougars, and in 1930 the nickname was changed to Falcons. When James Norris purchased the club in 1933, he wanted to pick out a name and an insignia along the lines of the Montreal A.A.A. Winged Wheelers. He had played hockey in Montreal and was very fond of the M.A.A.A., and therefore selected the winged wheel of the M.A.A.A. as the Detroit club's crest. The team's name was then changed to Red Wings.

When Conn Smythe and a few other young veterans of the First World War bought the franchise of the Toronto St. Pats in September, 1927, they wanted to acquire a name for the Toronto team that would be symbolic of all Canada. They wanted to build a team that not only Toronto but all Canada would be proud of, and in their desire to do this they came up with the name Maple Leafs, after Canada's national emblem. They changed the team's colours from the green and white of St. Pats to an attractive blue and white.

AFTER FAMOUS RANGERS

New York Rangers sport a nickname which stems from the colorful Texas Rangers, the famous police organization of the Lone Star State. The Rangers were saddled with their name by the late Col. John Hammond as a tribute to the fabulous George (Tex) Rickard, a native of Texas who reigned over Madison Square Garden during its rise as a great name in the sports world.

Hammond gave the name to the New York hockey team in honor of Rickard, first president of the Garden, when the Blue Shirts were born in 1936. Hammond was vice-president of the Garden at the time. The team was to have been tagged "Tex's Rangers," according to the original plan, but later the name was amended to New York Rangers.

A Montreal girl, Bessie Moss, now the wife of the treasurer of the Board of Trade in Montreal, was responsible for the Boston N.H.L. team being called the Bruins.

Miss Moss back in the spring of 1924 was secretary to Art Ross. The late Charles F. Adams had acquired the Boston franchise in March of 1924 and had selected Ross to be the team's first manager. Miss Moss was aware of correspondence between the team's name and colors. It was decided to have the Boston colors brown and gold, the same colors as were used on the store fronts of the grocery chain stores of which Adams was president.

The fact that the colors were to be part brown prompted Miss Moss to say to Ross, "Why not call the team the Bruins?" Ross acted favorably and sent the suggestion on to Adams who likewise approved, and so the Boston entry in the N.H.L. became known as the Boston Bruins.

The colors were later changed to brown, gold and white and then to their present form of gold, black and white.

REPRESENT FRENCH-CANADIANS

When Nat Dorval organized a professional club in Montreal in the fall of 1909 he wanted a name that would represent the French-Canadians in Quebec. All French-speaking Canadians in Quebec call themselves Canadiens, spelled with an "iens" instead of the Anglicized way of "ians." Habitant was the name given to the French-Canadian pioneer farmer in order to distinguish him from the French-Canadian fur trader (voyageur). Habitant is the French equivalent of resident. The team was actually named the Canadiens Habitant and the letter "H" was placed inside a large "C" which was the club's insignia.

Canadiens are the oldest club in professional hockey today and the name Canadiens, spelled "iens," is a byword in hockey circles throughout the world.

Chicago acquired the name Black Hawks through Major Frederick McLaughlin. He named them after a famous war unit of the 33rd Division known as the Black Hawks of which division he was a prominent member.

In and around Chicago and Milwaukee the name Black Hawk is used in hundreds of ways. Black Hawk himself was an Indian chief. He was a member of the Sauk tribe and was considered the greatest orator of the American Indian race.

$100,000 Gate Forecast For Cerdan-Roach Fight

NEW YORK (AP)—France's Marcel Cerdan, European middleweight champion, and Lavern Roach, the young, talented Texan, will tangle in Madison Square Garden March 12 in a bout that should do bonanza business at the box office.

The handlers of the two crowd-pleasing fighters agreed to terms yesterday with the 20th Century Sporting Club for the 10-rounder.

A $100,000 gross gate seems a good possibility.

Roach made the jump to the big time last Jan. 16 when he decisively outpointed Tony Janiro of Youngstown, O., in a Garden feature. The handsome, 22-year-old ex-marine, named boxing's 1947 "rookie of the year" by Ring Magazine, appeared cool, calm and collected in his Garden debut as a headliner.

GREAT VICTORY STRING

It was Roach's 18th straight victory and his 23rd in 24 pro starts. He displayed a rapier left, a fine right cross and a willingness to mix.

In Cerdan he will meet an opponent with the same eagerness to swap punches. Cerdan has fought three times in the United States. He outpointed veteran Georgie Abrams in his first bout, flattened Harold Green in the second, and narrowly outscored rugged Anton Raadik in Chicago although he was floored three times in the final round.

The winner may be in line for a title shot if and when champion Rocky Graziano gets straightened out with the New York commission and has his return bout with ex-titleholder Tony Zale.

EDMONTON FLYERS WIN

SASKATOON (CP)—A 5 to 3 triumph here Tuesday night vaulted Edmonton Flyers into second place in the Western Canada Senior Hockey League. The win came at the expense of the cellar-dwelling Saskatoon Quakers.

R.C.A.F. Flyers Win Exhibition Tilt 18-4

AROS, Switzerland (CP)—Canada's R.C.A.F. Flyers, 1948 Olympic hockey champions, defeated a local team 18 to 4 yesterday.

The team that had only five goals registered against it while winning seven games and tying one in the Olympic tournament took a 4 to 2 lead in the first period, stretched the margin to 8 to 3 in the second and rattled 10 goals home in the third while the locals were restricted to one.

J.B.A.A., Scottish Meet In Feature Rugby Tilt Saturday

With the Crimson Tide idle until March 13 when they tangle with Varsity in the next McKechnie Cup game rugger interest centres around this week's battle between Canadian Scottish and J.B.A.A. at Macdonald Park.

Both fifteens are undefeated in second-half play and in respective scores against common opponents appear to be evenly matched.

The Scottish are the most improved squad in the circuit and are reported to be out to end the winning ways of Bert Buller's porteges. On the other hand, the Bays, holders of the first-half title, could just about sew up the bunting with a victory.

Mustangs, who tried their hand at the English rugger code last month, have withdrawn from the league leaving the loop a three-team circuit once again.

Bays and Scottish intermediates will meet in the second half of the double bill at Macdonald Park Saturday. Games are set for 2.30.

Vancouver Hockey Club Scores 7th Successive Win

Two games in the Pacific Coast Hockey League last night provided sharp contrast in the work of goalies.

At Fresno, Ralph Tattan made 20 saves for the Falcons and Duff McDermid 14 as the San Francisco Shamrocks won, 3 to 0. For McDermid, of San Francisco, it was his fifth shutout of the season.

At Tacoma, Bev Bentley of Los Angeles made 47 saves and Jerry Cotnoir of Tacoma 39. The overtime game ended in a 3 to 3 tie.

With Bobby Ballance scoring three goals, the Vancouver Canucks won their seventh straight, downing the New Westminster Royals at Vancouver, 5 to 3.

Fresno gets another crack at second-place San Francisco in the bay city tonight. Other games offer the respective division leaders, Los Angeles and Seattle, at Seattle; and Tacoma and New Westminster at Westminster.

Brundage Offers To Feed U.S. Athletes

LONDON (AP) — Avery Brundage, United States Olympics chief, offered today to feed the 400 athletes he will bring to Britain for the summer Olympics.

Brundage, accompanied by Owen van Camp, treasurer of the U.S. Olympic Committee, told British officials he would ship frozen food from the United States.

Any surplus after the games, he said, would be distributed to hospitals and children's homes.

Canadians Third In World Skating Meet

DAVOS PLATZ, Switzerland (CP)—Wallace Distelmeyer and Suzanne Morrow of Toronto placed third today behind Micheline Lannoy and Pierre Baugniet of Belgium as the world skating championships opened with the mixed pairs event.

Andrea Kekessy and Ede Kiraly of Hungary finished second.

The order of the first three pairs thus duplicated the sequence of the first three finishers in the Olympic pairs at St. Moritz last week.

Karol and Peter Kennedy of Seattle, Wash., were fourth, followed by Yvonne Sherman and Robert Swenning of New York. In the Olympic competition the Kennedys were sixth and the Sherman-Swenning pair placed fourth.

The winning pair received 13.5 placings and 11.34 points, the Hungarians 24.5 placings and 11.12 points and the Canadians 26 placings and 11.07 points.

Distelmeyer also will compete in the men's singles during the championship here. Miss Morrow will participate in the women's singles.

WOMEN'S SINGLES FRIDAY

Defending her women's singles title will be Barbara Ann Scott of Ottawa, recent winner of the Olympic championship. Miss Scott was drawn 18th and will get into action Friday. A coincidence of the draw is the fact that she was No. 18 when she won the European championship at Davos. She was No. 13 when she won the world championship at Stockholm last year. Now she defends the world crown starting Friday the 13th.

Three Players Sign With Seattle Club

SEATTLE (AP)—Three more players sent signed contracts to Seattle Rainiers of the Pacific Coast Baseball League today.

They are pitcher Marius Russo, who comes from New York Yankees; pitcher Jim Hedgecock who has been with Vancouver Capilanos of the Western International League, and infielder Tony York, Seattle second baseman last year.

Russo, a southpaw, has been having trouble with his elbow in recent seasons but said the arm was all right again. He finished last year with Kansas City and was purchased by Seattle on a 30-day trial basis.

Chess Tourney

Games in the city chess tournament last week resulted as follows:

A SECTION

J. Grovin 1, G. Jones 0; F. Fanstone 1, A. H. Sheard 0; G. Hobson 1, H. Parry 0; D. H. Moore 1, F. Stratholt 0; N. R. Stewart 1, F. Farnstone 0.

B SECTION

T. G. Stewart 1, G. Wadsworth 0; G. A. Laird 1, K. Mollyard 0; D. McDonald ½, O. Jowett ½; K. Mollyard 1, G. Drew 0; G. A. Laird 1, G. Drew 0.

Games to be played Friday: Stewart vs. Marshall, Parry vs. Moody, Grovin vs. Plant, Fanstone vs. Moore, Basanta vs. Hobson, Sheard vs. Jones, Lavy vs Lee.

RUGBY PRACTICE

J.B.A.A. senior and intermediate rugby squads will practice at Macdonald Park tonight and Thursday night at 7.

Alcos, Eagles Clash In Intermediate A Cage Final Tonight

With Alcos and Eagles meeting in the third game of their best-of-five series for the city intermediate A cage title in the middle game on the card plenty of action is promised hoop patrons at the High School gym tonight.

These two evenly matched teams are all square in their playoff series, Alcos having taken the first game and Eagles the second. Fourth game of the set is billed for Saturday.

In the feature game tonight at 9 Y.M.C.A. and Canadian Legion will wind up the senior A season with the result having no bearing on the standings. The Vets and the "Y" are slated to open the city semifinal series Saturday night.

K.V.'s junior boys can cinch the city crown in preliminary at 7 by defeating Warriors. The orangeshirts won the first game of the best-of-three series by a nine-point margin.

Bottle Exchange In Table Tennis Win

Victoria Bottle Exchange increased its lead in the Victoria Table Tennis League this week with a 26 to 24 victory over Traders.

Macdonald Electric turned back Foul Bay, 28 to 22, Rovers defeated Robinson's Grocery, 27 to 23, and Arrow Furniture walloped Aces, 33 to 17, in the other league contests.

Stan Ngai of Traders won 10 games for the league's high total.

Results follow:

Victoria Bottle Exchange—A. Wells 6, J. Davison 8, E. Goodwin 8, D. Sothern 4, B. Harrison.

Traders—S. Ngai 10, C. Ngai 5, B. Wilms 4, R. Rodgers 3, F. MacDonald 2.

Macdonald Electric—W. Browne-Cave 10, N. Craig 9, B. MacKay, D. White 6, O. King 2.

Foul Bay—R. Payne 6, R. Smith, B. Reid 6, T. Harper 5, A. Acton 4.

Rovers—J. Payne 5, E. Seed 7, G. Corke 7, D. Podmore 4, B. Canova 4.

Robinson's Grocery—W. Robinson 9, T. Lowe 7, G. Clarke 7, D. Hayward, R. Restell.

Arrow Furniture—A. Ngai 9, A. Miller 7, B. Tuthill 9, F. Wight 5, A. Wight 3.

Aces—E. Walker 8, B. Morris 5, J. Morris 1, H. Campbell 3, B. McGregor.

Cage Tilts Billed For Saanichton Hall

Three exhibition basketball games will be played at Saanichton Community Hall tomorrow night commencing at 7.30.

Saanichton senior B men will meet a Victoria squad in the feature at 9.30 while Sidney will supply the opposition for the Saanichton senior C quintette at 8.30.

Preliminary at 7.30 will find Saanichton girls playing the intermediate A Comets.

Los Angles—Buddy Jacklich, 130, San Francisco, T.K.O. Fabela Chavez, 131, Los Angeles, 9.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

PROVIDING NO FURTHER injuries crop up during training sessions this week Manager Roy Barnes should be in the happy position of being able to strip his strongest available Victoria United line-up for Saturday's Coast League soccer match with Vancouver City. Two weeks of inactivity enjoyed by the local club have enabled several of the players to overcome crocked legs and ankles. Barring accidents Barnes is now prepared to throw a well-balanced club against the mainland competition for the remainder of the second-half schedule.

UNITED LINE-UP FOR Saturday will not witness any serious changes although Barnes has intimated to the writer he may come up with a mild revamping in the near future. As yet he has given no indication he is ready to take such a step. One thing is certain the fullbacks Saturday will be Tommy Druce and Chuck Restell, providing the former has completely recovered from his nose and leg injuries. Available for halfback duty will be the two Travis brothers, Joe and Ab, Gordie Forbes and Red McMillan. For his forwards Barnes will have a choice from Noel Morgan, Jack Scott, Alvin Parks, Reg Clarkson, Gordie Bell, Nip Sage and Andy Anderson. Just whom he will start will be determined definitely after tomorrow night's practice session.

IN A CHAT TODAY with Ken Darbyshire and George Wilkinson the two horse racing enthusiasts disclosed plans to improve the Willows track. It appears a complete regrading job will be done and spiral turns introduced. The latter are a new idea and tend to speed up the racing strip and also to reduce the chances of a thoroughbred bearing out or jumping the outside fence on entering either stretch. Outside of the new track now under construction at Hastings Park the Willows will be the only plant in Canada with such turns. "Horses running at Lansdowne Park went to California and cut as much as two seconds off their best times running on tracks with spiral turns," Darbyshire said. Work at the Willows will get started within a few days.

FOR THE RACING fans—Twenty-two thoroughbreds won in excess of $100,000 racing on United States tracks in 1947. The great brood mare Marguerite, dam of the stake winners Petee Wrack, Foxbrough, Fighting Fox and Gallant Fox, started but once in her racing career and finished last. In 73 runnings of the Kentucky Derby, 32 bay colored horses have won, chestnuts have won 26 times, browns 11, and blacks four. The oldest thoroughbred recorded in world history was Merrick who died in 1941 at the age of 38.

Rangers Call Rayner Back From Minor Loop

With the National Hockey League's 60-game schedule three-quarters finished, and only six weeks left before the play-offs, the teams appeared today to be pretty well standing pat on what they've got for the stretch drive.

The deadline for recall of players from the minors passed at midnight last night with nothing more startling than the announcement that New York Rangers have recalled Claude (Chuck) Rayner from New Haven Ramblers of the American Hockey League. This was strictly an insurance measure, for Sugar Jim Henry, who started substituting for Rayner in the Ranger nets months ago, is doing all right.

Rayner started the season as New York's regular goalie, but was sidelined for several weeks with a fractured cheek-bone. He was replaced by Henry, who was recalled from New Haven.

LEAFS STAND PAT

The league-leading Detroit Red Wings said nothing at all about drafts from the minors. The second-place Toronto Maple Leafs said they'd string along with the present squad, and if worst came to worst they still can call on amateurs.

Amateurs can be drafted any time on a three-game trial basis without losing their amateur status.

The present major tussle is for the fourth and last play-off spot. Boston holds it at the moment, two points ahead of Montreal.

The only mid-week game sees the tail-end Chicago Black Hawks at Boston tonight.

Seattle—Joe Kahut, 185, Portland Ore., knocked out Georgie Kochan, 186, New York, 6.

Ross Battles Lyman In Feature Bout On Wrestling Card

Promoter Rocky Brooks today announced wrestling card for Saturday's show at the armories. For his main event he has Tony Ross, who has gone over so well with the Victoria fans, matched against Joe Lyman.

Lyman, a light-heavyweight of 190 pounds, has wrestled main events all over the world and is recognized as one of the best performers in the business. He served with the U.S. air force in Australia and was a favorite with the Aussie fans. He is extremely fast, and specializes in drop kicks and flying scissors. The match will be six 10-minute rounds, best two out three falls.

In the special event of four 10-minute rounds, Billy Hickson will make a return appearance against Bill Konke of Edmonton. Konke weighs 190 pounds and has just returned to the Pacific coast after two years of wrestling in the Middle West.

There will be another event of six 10-minute rounds. Promoter Brooks hopes to get Joe Dorsetti against Cliff Parker, which would give him what he considers the best-balanced card since he started staging the shows.

First bout is scheduled for 8.30.

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Les Lear Takes Over Coaching Job With Stampeders

CALGARY (CP) — Les Lear, former Winnipeg Blue Bombers and United States professional grid star, Tuesday night was named coach of the Calgary Stampeders football team for the 1948 season.

Lear, a four-year veteran of professional football with Los Angeles Rams and Detroit Lions, was appointed mentor of the Calgary entry in the Western Interprovincial Football Union at a meeting of the club executive. He succeeds Dean Griffing, a former Regina Roughrider pilot, who had coached the Calgary club since the 1945 season.

Lear was a tackle on two Winnipeg Grey Cup finalist squads before joining the U.S. professional clubs. He is one of the few Canadians to make the grade in major U.S. professional football company.

"I am very pleased at the honor," Lear said after being informed he had been appointed coach. "If everything goes the way I hope, we'll be on the way to the Grey Cup."

WILL CHECK PLAYERS

Lear intimated he would be leaving immediately for Los Angeles to clear up some personal business in connection with his own pro contract status in the U.S. and would start checking several players prospects Stamps hope to bring to the city under the five-import allowance of the Canadian Rugby Union.

Griffing, who also applied for the coaching position, said he would be ready to give every possible support to the club no matter who was coaching it if his application was turned down.

The meeting named a committee of five men—club president Tom Brook, Johnny Thompson, Fritz Hansen, Ross Henderson and Earl Abbott—to work with Lear in the actual negotiations with players and the assembling of the team.

Pointer Captures Field Championship

SMUQUALAK, Miss. (AP) — Pandemonium, a pointed owned by A. G. C. Sage of Alberta, Ala., was named winner of the national field trial club's free-for-all championship yesterday, adding that title to his standing as winner of the 1946 American field quail futurity.

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Up for nomination for tackle on the 1948 All-Canine Varsity is this husky bulldog. She took this "They shall not pass" stance at the Golden Gate Kennel Club's annual show in San Francisco, and had many admirers—but only from a distance.

Ruth Admits He Was Bad Youngster In Life Story

NEW YORK (AP)—Babe Ruth was no orphan. His father's name always was Ruth and not Ehrhardt or Gearhardt. As a juvenile incorrigible, he was placed in a Baltimore institution.

These are a few facts the Babe tells of his youth in the first of a series of autobiographical sketches with Bob Considine. The series, appearing in the Saturday Evening Post, is a condensation of a book to be published. This, in turn, will be the basis of a motion picture of his life.

"I look back on St. Mary's (industrial school in Baltimore) as one of the most constructive periods of my life," he said. "I'm as proud of it as any Harvard man is proud of his school.

"I was a bad kid," he starts out. "I say that without pride, but with a feeling that it is better to say it. Because I live with one great hope in mind; to help kids who now stand where I stood as a boy."

Ruth said his father, George Herman Ruth, lived until his second year in the majors. His mother died when he was 13. Most of the first seven years of his life were spent living over his father's saloon in Baltimore.

The Babe said his parents placed him in St. Mary's when he was seven. He described St. Mary's as "a training school for orphans, incorrigibles, delinquents, boys whose homes had been broken up by divorce, runaways picked up on the streets of Baltimore and children of poor parents who had no other means of providing an education for them.

WAS INCORRIGIBLE

"I was listed as an incorrigible," he relates, "and I guess I was. Looking back on my early boyhood, I honestly don't remember being aware of the difference between right and wrong. If my parents had something that I wanted very badly, I took it, but I must have had some dim realization that this was stealing, because it never occurred to me to take the property of anyone besides my immediate family. I chewed tobacco when I was seven, not because I enjoyed it especially, but from my observations around the saloon, it seemed the normal thing to do."

Five different times he was released from St. Mary's to his parents between 1902 and 1914. The last item on his record at the school said briefly:

"He is going to join the Balt. baseball team."

Ruth said Brother Matthias of the Xaverian Brothers taught him how to pitch and hit at St. Mary's. He related how Jack Dunn, boss of the Baltimore Orioles, agreed to become his legal guardian when he signed him in 1914 for $600 a year.

Each Olympic Contender Costs Canada $600

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—It will cost $600 to send each Canadian athlete to the summer Olympics this year, the city council finance committee was informed by Prof. Nelson Hart of London, who wrote asking for a municipal grant. Decision was delayed.

Prof. Hart, honorary secretary of the Canadian Olympic Association, estimated the cost of Canada's Olympic team at $125,000, of which the Dominion government will pay about $85,000.

Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse racing here Tuesday follow:

First Race—

So They Say	$9.50	$5.60	$3.80
Black Point	---	7.50	5.80
Royal Consort	---	---	6.40

Scratched: None.

Second Race—

Brilliancy	$3.90	$2.30	$2.90
Atom Ray	---	3.60	3.10
Gold Jacket	---	---	5.90

Scratched: Danada Gift, Air Charm, Over Anxious, Gold Sylvia.

Third Race—

Itsadate	$10.30	$5.50	$5.00
Miss Jo Jo	---	4.70	4.30
Buster Medic	---	---	21.00

Scratched: Handy Way, Father Neptune, High Kenty, Guerrytown, Like His Daddy.

Fourth Race—

Conflict	$11.60	$5.20	$3.30
Old Beau	---	4.90	2.80
Swirling	---	---	2.50

Scratched: None.

Fifth Race—

Vain Doctor	$29.30	$9.00	$4.60
Pore Boy	---	3.70	2.00
Missile Warrier	---	---	3.20

Scratched: None.

Sixth Race—

Pennon	$4.50	$3.30	$2.50
Grand Isle	---	5.70	3.60
Oration	---	---	3.10

Scratched: None.

Seventh Race—

Galla Damion	$6.30	$4.70	$3.60
High Resolve	---	6.50	4.60
Stirrup Cup	---	---	6.80

Scratched: None.

Eighth Race—

Chagin	$11.60	$7.40	$4.60
Overslept	---	5.70	3.70
Sparky Cannon	---	---	4.70

Scratched: None.

CRICKET MEETING

Annual meeting of the Five C's Cricket Club will be held at Elks Club on Friday at 7.30. All members are requested to attend.

U.S. Winner

Mrs. Gretchen Fraser, 28-year-old housewife from Vancouver, Wash., won the women's slalom race at the winter Olympics in St. Moritz, Switzerland, to give the U.S. its first individual skiing championship in the history of the Olympic Games.

Record 2,540 Dogs Seek Blue Ribbons At Westminster Show

NEW YORK (AP)—Madison Square Garden went to the dogs today.

The best canines in the United States and Canada—2,540 of them—were on display in the 72nd annual Westminster Kennel Club show.

All but the puppies already are blue ribbon winners. Tomorrow night a new best-of-show champion will be picked from a half dozen variety group winners.

Judging of the huge entry list, largest in the show's history, started this morning.

The blue ribbon feature of the show is new. Only dogs that won firsts at previous shows licensed by the Canadian or American Kennel Clubs have been admitted.

Thirty-nine states and Canada are represented in the show. There are more dachshunds—148—than anything else, followed by boxers 139; fox terriers, 113, and collies, 108. Altogether, 102 breeds are entered.

Gil Dodds Has Run Last Indoor Race

BOSTON (AP) — Halted by mumps, Gil Dodds, the 4.05.3-record-maker, has run his last indoor race, Jack Ryder, his veteran coach said last night. Stricken Monday, Boston's famed "flying parson" will be in hospital until late next week.

"Then he will return to his Wheaton, Ill., home to rest up before starting his outdoor training for an Olympic team berth," Ryder said.

"Dodds plans to quit competitive running after the Olympics, so I guess he has run his last indoor race.

Basketball Playoffs For Coast Sought

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Ray Clark, president of the Pacific Coast Professional Basketball League, said Tuesday that west coast sponsors were attempting to get the annual professional playoffs for the world's title. The playoffs have been held in the past in Chicago.

Clark said promoters at Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle were after the tourney.

Clark, co-owner of the Portland Indians, also said he was attempting to arrange a post-season barnstorming trip into Mexico for the Portland team.

OAK BAY GOLF

Mrs. M. Todd-Finney won A class honors in the monthly medal competition for women of Victoria Golf Club yesterday. Mrs. Todd-Finney shot an 81 which gave her a net 77. Mrs. F. D. Todd scored a 102-23—80 to capture B class honors.

THISTLES PRACTICE

Saanich Thistles football team will hold a work-out at Athletic Park tomorrow night at 8.

AUSTRALIA WINS

MELBOURNE (AP) — Australian cricketers chalked up another clear-cut victory over India in the fifth and last test match of their current series, winning by an innings and 177 runs.

This gave Australia outright wins in four tests, with a fifth drawn.

NOTED CRICKETER DIES

LEICESTER, Eng. (AP)—William Ewart Astill, former Leicestershire and England all-round cricketer, died after a long illness. He was 57.

Astill completed the cricketer's double of 1,000 runs and 100 wickets in a season on nine occasions. He also was a noted amateur billiards player.

HOCKYEYIST FINED $50

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Jack Jackson, Kansas City defenceman, was fined $50 by the United States Hockey League today for striking Warren Bak, Omaha player, with a stick in a hockey game at Kansas City, Feb. 8.

Jackson was given a match penalty in the game and the case was referred to James C. Hendy, league president. Bak was not severely injured and requested leniency for Jackson.

TIDES

Feb.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.
10	6.37	8.4	9.22	7.9	13.08	8.4	21.36	2.1
11	6.40	8.1	9.59	7.5	14.02	8.1	22.16	1.9
12	6.27	8.0	10.39	7.0	14.56	7.6	22.39	3.1
13	6.17	8.0	11.24	6.4	15.57	7.2	23.08	3.8
14	6.27	8.1	12.13	5.9	17.05	6.8	23.34	4.6
15	6.41	8.1	13.08	5.2	18.23	6.4	23.52	5.4
16	7.00	8.4	.....	.....	14.07	5.4	.....	.....
17	7.20	8.6	.....	.....	15.09	3.7	.....	.....
18	7.37	9.0	.....	.....	16.11	3.0	.....	.....
19	7.36	9.4	.....	.....	17.09	2.1	.....	.....
20	8.38	9.5	.....	.....	18.51	1.6	.....	.....
21	8.42	9.6	.....	.....	18.50	1.1	.....	.....
22	5.19	8.5	6.08	8.4	11.09	9.5	19.34	0.9
23	5.16	8.3	7.26	7.9	12.26	9.3	20.18	1.0
24	4.56	8.0	8.23	7.1	13.31	9.0	21.00	1.4
25	4.30	8.0	9.17	6.4	14.23	8.5	21.42	2.1
26	4.41	8.1	10.06	5.5	15.38	8.0	22.23	3.1
27	5.07	8.3	11.04	4.8	16.45	7.4	23.04	4.1
28	5.36	8.4	12.02	4.1	18.06	6.9	23.40	5.4
29	6.08	8.5	12.53	3.6	21.14	6.6	.....	.....

SUNRISE and SUNSET

Feb. 12—Rises 7.28; sets 17.28.

C.C.F. Invasion Of Saanich Won't Impress Electorate, Says Straith

Education Minister W. T. Straith told a political meeting at Deep Cove Tuesday night that the people of Saanich had been accustomed to representation by one of their own residents and the C.C.F. invasion from the mainland will not impress the electorate of the constituency.

Speaking in support of Arthur J. R. Ash, Coalition candidate for the Feb. 23 provincial by-election in Saanich, Mr. Straith said that the electorate of Saanich were more interested in the proper solution of their own local problems than in the propagation of a theory. Agriculture Minister Frank Putnam also addressed the meeting.

He argued that the theories of the C.C.F., as preached in B.C., had not been put into practice by the Saskatchewan government when they cut the old age pension by $5 per month.

"Practical politics in Regina are very different from the vaunted C.C.F. manifestoes which in the past have emanated from Regina," he said. "The C.C.F. in Saskatchewan has ventured into so many industries and with such disappointing results that they now find itself unable to take care of their older citizens."

Mr. Straith outlined efforts of the Johnson-Anscomb Coalition administration to bring about a social service scheme whereby the hospitals and health services and a form of national superannuation would be provided by a contributory national system.

"A few years ago we were called visionaries when we promoted such a scheme but I believe it is much nearer to realization than most people are aware," he said.

"Anyone from seven to 70 may now secure an adequate education either in the classroom or by night school or correspondence courses," he said, mentioning the breadth of educational opportunity in British Columbia.

"Enlightenment through education is the surest bulwark of our democratic way of life," he concluded.

Mr. Putnam told of the possibilities of developing the land of Saanich and described it as an area with unparalleled potentialities for poultry, seed and bulb growing, and fruit crops.

He said the peninsula could become a "Garden of Eden" provided sufficient water were available. But he warned full development of the area would require plenty of hard work by farmers.

Clement May presided and spoke briefly in support of Coalition administration and Mr. Ash.

Also in a brief address E. J. T. Woodward said he was astonished that in a constituency the size of Saanich the C.C.F. couldn't find a local resident good enough to run and had to import a carpet-bagger from outside to represent them.

Oak Bay Wires Ottawa Protesting Airpark Work

A telegram urging that no license be granted the Gordon Head airpark site, was sent Tuesday night by Reeve R. A. Wootton of Oak Bay to the Minister of Transport and R. W. Mayhew, M.P. for Victoria.

The telegram reads: "Oak Bay Council was presented with a largely-signed petition opposing airpark by residents of the Uplands, an area closely adjoining the proposed airpark site at Gordon Head in the neighboring municipality of Saanich.

"In view of the proposed speedway to Patricia Bay, my council supports the said petition and urges that no license be granted by your department for the Gordon Head site."

On receipt of a copy of the telegram, W. A. Scott of the Memorial Airpark Association of Greater Victoria, stated that the municipality of Oak Bay would be asked if the decision to send the telegram was made following a full council meeting and whether the decision was unanimous

Thieves Get Safe Open---Nothing More

Thieves looking for cash got nothing for their trouble last night after knocking off the handle and forcing open the door of a safe in the office of the Commonwealth Construction Company, 616 Hillside Avenue.

There was no money in the cabinet safe and cheques and other documents were not touched, according to officials. Wally Smith, 628 Hillside, on arriving at the premises this morning found the back door open and the safe sticking halfway out of it. Entry of the building was made by the back door.

100 Experts Gather Here To Discuss Various Problems Of B.C.'s Resources

Left to right: S. R. Weston, chairman, B.C. Power Commission, Victoria; C. E. Webb, district chief engineer, Dominion government, Vancouver; William Newton, Dominion pathological laboratory, Saanichton; J. M. Stewart, deputy minister of railways for B.C., Victoria; Dr. M. Y. Williams, University of British Columbia professor, and Prof. G. S. Moe, University of B.C. agriculture department.

A hundred experts employed by the Dominion and provincial governments and industry in the research, education and administration of British Columbia's natural resources met today in the Empress Hotel as guests of the provincial government to discuss their problems, present briefs and exchange ideas.

The one-day conference may become an annual and longer affair. The first such conference held here was opened formally today by Premier Byron Johnson.

Welcoming the delegates, Mr Johnson said the government appreciated the interest of the delegates in attending the conference. He noted that the government was charged with the administration of the resources, while many of the delegates were engaged in investigation of the resources.

He assured the co-operation of the government.

Agriculture Minister Frank Putnam said that greater planning was needed in the development of the province's resources. He warned there had been many cases of soil mining on the North American continent and there was no limit to the work that could be done to halt soil erosion and in planning proper crops for various soils.

"Food is the only thing that will bring peace to the world," he said, adding that there was no danger of overproducing the main necessities of life.

"Anything you can do to further the food production will benefit the world," he said.

Mines Minister R. C. Mac Donald also spoke briefly.

George Melrose, deputy minister of lands, served as chairman of the opening session.

He outlined the purpose of the convention and said the government felt that the exchange of ideas, and personal contacts would prove valuable.

Later in the morning the conference got down to presenting briefs, each delegate being asked to submit a short statement.

At noon the delegates were guests of the provincial government at a luncheon.

Mr. Melrose during the afternoon opened the panel discussions which presented discussions on the four major resources of the province under four chairmen.

W. C. MacGillivray, director of land clearing and extension for the provincial agriculture department, served as chairman of the discussion on agriculture, while Dr. W. A. Clemens, chief of the zoology department of the University of B.C., acted as chairman of the discussion on fisheries.

British Columbia's deputy minister of fisheries, C. D. Orchard, served as chairman of the discussion on forestry. Discussion on mining was presided over by Dr. J. F. Walker, deputy mines minister for B.C.

To Continue Work On Airpark Until Injunction Received

Until an injunction is granted to halt development work on the Memorial Airpark at Gordon Head, work will continue on the site, according to Miles Hague, vice-president of the Airpark Association today.

Mr. Hague's statement was backed up by W. H. Kenton of the association who said he and a few others would be out working on the site this afternoon, and that anyone else "hanging around there is a trespasser." All work is done by volunteer labor, he said, at cost to no one.

"We have an agreement with the city and are obligated to them," Mr. Kenton said. "If the city solicitor tells us to cease work, we will, but not until then."

Latest development in the airpark issue came Tuesday afternoon, when a writ was issued in Supreme Court against the City of Victoria and the Memorial Airpark Association of Greater Victoria, seeking an injunction to halt development of the airpark at Gordon Head.

John G. McIntosh of Marchant, Gillis and McIntosh, issued the writ on behalf of Dr. I. C. C. Tchaperoff, a radiologist at St. Joseph's Hospital, whose home at 2481 Sinclair Road, is across the road from the airpark.

Ald. F. G. Mullinerr, chairman of the City Council's aviation committee, said Tuesday night that no order would be given by the city, to stop work at the airpark project, until a court order was received to restrain development at the site.

The city had given the airpark association permission to begin development of runways, following a notice by the Department of Transport that if work was not started by Feb. 15, permission would be given to erect two radio towers.

Higher Court Trial

Eric and Mildred Gray, charged jointly with breaking and entering Pritchard's clothing store, 1227 Government Street, and committing theft, who earlier elected for trial before Magistrate H. C. Hall had their request granted this morning for a change to trial in a higher court. The preliminary hearing was remanded to next Friday.

Jury Asks Cars Be Tested Every Six Months Here

A recommendation that the provincial government test cars here every six months, as is done in Vancouver, was made by the coroner's jury which brought in a verdict of accidental death following a hearing in Hayward's Funeral Home this morning of circumstances surrounding the death last Saturday night of George Edward (Teddy) James, 22, Doumac Avenue, Cordova Bay.

Dr. E. L. McNiven told the jury death resulted from a fractured neck and skull. These injuries were received when James' car was in collision with a Vancouver Island Coach Lines bus on East Saanich Road just north of the Game Farm gates Saturday night at about 11.

James Leslie Robbins, 21, who was riding in the James' car as a passenger when the accident occurred, told the jury the car had not been driven fast. David J. Ready, 31, driver of the bus, told the jury the James' car had been on the wrong side of the road.

"I first saw the car when it was approximately 200 yards away. It was coming towards me and seemed to be on the wrong side of the road. I started to apply my brakes and the car went back on its own side," Mr. Ready told the jury. "I gave him as much clearance as I could but he started coming at me again on the wrong side."

Sgt. Cecil Pearce of the Saanich Police, who attended the accident, told the jury the apparent point of impact was three feet, three inches from the double white line which runs along the centre of the road on the bus' side of the road. Sgt. Pearce said the bus had been driven off the road in an attempt to avoid the collision.

The car, the witness testified, was an old model vehicle and appeared to have several mechanical defects.

Serving on the jury were Ivan Shillington, foreman; Charles Boyden, Frank Woods, Arthur Shaw, Denis Humphries and William Heller. The inquest was conducted by Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner.

Two young men, James Lyonel Morrison and Calvin Bruce Bayes, both entered pleas of not guilty to police charges of vagrancy in city police court today. They were remanded to tomorow by Magistrate H. C. Hall.

Wallet Recovered

In quick time city detectives F. Woodburn, A. Briggs and N. Bath yesterday located the wallet containing $360 in cash and a $300 U.S. bank draft which Lee Young, 829 North Park Street, complained of losing. The man told the detectives the last time he remembered handling the wallet was Monday night in a store on Cormorant Street. The detectives found it there where it had apparently fallen from the owner's pocket.

Injunction Hearing Granted By Court

John G. McIntosh, acting as counsel on behalf of a number of members of Ward 3 Ratepayers' Association of Saanich, was granted leave in Supreme Court today to move for an interim injunction on Friday morning at 10.30. The application will be heard before Mr. Justice Wood.

Residents of Ward 3 are seeking an injunction to restrain the city of Victoria from beginning work on the Memorial Airpark project at Gordon Head. Notice has been given to the city by the transport department that work on the site must start by Feb. 15, or permission would be given to erect two radio towers on the site.

Logging Case Heard In Court

Hearing continued today in the case of James S. Waugh and the Esquimalt Lumber Co. who are suing Pierre Piedmont for damages on grounds that he is unlawfully using a logging road on their logging property situated on the West Coast Road, near Port Renfrew.

Defence counsel R. D. Harvey, K.C., contends that under the Forestry Act the defendant has a right to use the road to get his logs to the sea. The defendant's property adjoins that of the plaintiff.

R. W. Davey, K.C., and W. H. M. Haldane are acting for the plaintiff.

About 100 donations to the Red Cross blood bank were given by students of Victoria College this morning through the mobile blood clinic which is stationed at their school today, it was reported at noon by a Red Cross officer. It was expected another 100 donations would be received during the afternoon session of the clinic.

Jail For Lies To Get Unemployment Insurance Money

Persons who tell lies to obtain Unemployment Insurance Act benefits are finding out that such acts bring offenders jail terms. It is pointed out that persons convicted on charges of making false statements to secure the out-of-work insurance money do not have the option of a fine. The punishment is jail.

Alaska Man Given Sentence Of Death

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP)—Austin Nelson, convicted 10 months ago for the first degree murder of Jim Ellen, Juneau groceryman, was sentenced by Federal Judge George Folta Tuesday to be hanged here March 1.

Nelson was originally scheduled to be hanged July 1 last, but the execution was stayed pending the trial of Eugene Lamoore, who was convicted last week on the same charge. Lamoore has not been sentenced. Ellen was slain Dec. 22, 1946.

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The work comprises removal of the rails of approximately 4 miles of double permanent track and paving the slots from which the rails are removed, and the removal of rails and ties of approximately 0.9 miles of double temporary track and 1.15 miles of single temporary track.

Specifications, General Conditions of Contract, Schedule of Approximate Quantities, Forms of Tender and Contract may be seen at the office of the City Engineer in the City Hall, Victoria, B.C., and one copy thereof may be obtained on payment of the sum of $15.00, which sum will be refunded on return of these documents in good order.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Chartered Bank, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, City of Victoria, B.C., for an amount not less than five per centum (5%) of the amount of the Tender.

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G. P. SHARPE, City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 10, 1948.

ITALIAN TROOPS THROW THEIR WEIGHT AROUND—Italian army troops push into a crowd of 10,000 demonstrators attempting to storm a government building in Milan. A score were injured in the riot.

Island News

South Cowichan Taxpayers Seek Old School District

COBBLE HILL—South Cowichan Taxpayers' Association will continue its efforts to sever the area from Cowichan School District No. 65 and re-establish the former Plantagenet School District, it was decided in a resolution passed at a meeting in Cobble Hill Hall, at which A. T. Motherwell presided.

The meeting also passed a motion of C. B. Meredith that the provincial government be requested to remove the school tax from land. The resolution will be presented at a meeting of the Vancouver Island Ratepayers' Association at Nanaimo, on Saturday, and South Cowichan Taxpayers' Association will be represented by S. D. Dougan, Thomas Boyles and Donald Peck.

Defending the tax on land for education, Cmdr. C. T. Beard, M.L.A., asked the meeting what alternatives existed. He was told that either a sales tax or special income tax would serve.

Duncan Nurses Get Salary Increases

DUNCAN — Salary increases which bring minimum rates to $1.55 a month, with $205 for specialist nurses, have been granted 23 nurses on the staff of the King's Daughters' Hospital here.

An agreement reached by the Upper Island Regional Hospitals Association, meeting in Nanaimo, resulted in the salary increases. The Duncan hospital has announced an increase of $1.50 a day in public and private ward rates.

Take Zoning Vote At Sooke Meeting

SOOKE—A. G. Graham, director of regional planning, will speak at a meeting of the Sooke Community Association Friday night at 8, in Sooke Community Hall. A film, "A Tale of New Cities," will be shown.

Taxpayers will be asked to vote at this meeting on the advisability of having regulated areas for Sooke.

Seek Missing Witness In Port Alberni Case

PORT ALBERNI (CP)—Sidney Croll of Port Alberni, charged with manuslaughter in connection with the traffic death Dec. 3 of Josiah Taylor, today was remanded indefinitely for preliminary hearing pending location of a missing witness.

Police said they believed the witness may be roaming Vancouver Island.

Taylor, a passenger in Croll's automobile, was instantly killed when the car allegedly crashed into a parked truck near Duncan, B.C.

May Accept Wharf Tender

NANAIMO — Authority has been granted by the federal government through an order-in-council, for acceptance of a tender from the James MacDonald Construction Co. Ltd., for wharf repairs at Beaver Point and Burgoyne Bay, and renewal of a float at Vesuvius Bay Salt Spring Island.

The work will entail an expenditure of approximately $8,033. Notice of the order-in-council was received by officials of the Nanaimo Federal Liberal Association.

Saanich Ballot To Carry 5 Names

Ballots for the Feb. 23 provincial by-election in Saanich will carry five names.

Robert Byrdon, returning officer, reported that when nominations closed at 1 Tuesday afternoon the five persons who had announced their intention to run and all of whom had already begun campaigning were the only persons to submit formal nominations.

The notice of the poll will be made out as follows:

Ash, Arthur James Richard, 3789 Quadra Street, merchant, Coalition.

Cameron, Colin, Comox, farmer, C.C.F.

Smith, William Richard, carpenter, Democratic Party.

Nixon, Tom, Royal Oak, farmer, Independent Farm Labor.

Jukes, Maj. A. H., D.S.O., O.B.E., Saanichton, farmer, Social Credit Independent.

Artists' Exhibition At Sooke Saturday

SOOKE—The second annual exhibition of 50 paintings by Sooke artists will be held Saturday from 2 to 6 and 7 to 10 at the Sooke Community Hall.

The official opening will be held at 3 Saturday afternoon under auspices of the Sooke Community Association.

SOOKE MEETING

SOOKE—The World Day of Prayer will be held in Knox Presbyterian Church Friday afternoon at 2.30, and all women of the district have been invited.

Mrs. Grable Confesses That Harry James Is Fine Son-In-Law

Mrs. L. Grable, mother of the famous movie actress Betty Grable, says:

"My daughter, Betty, may have wanted screen success, but what she always wanted more was a happy marriage, with children—and sometimes she has to pinch herself to realize that she has both.

"What I think of my son-in-law is of no consequence. I happen to think Harry is a wonderful person, but what counts is that he's made Betty a contented, happy girl.

"Their courtship got under way during the war. Harry James' band was playing at the Hollywood Canteen on Monday nights, and Betty was booked to come Monday nights and dance with the boys. I don't know whether it was an accident or whether Betty booked herself for Mondays. Looking back, I suspect it may have been a Grable plot—she was crazy about his music.

"We had met him a year before in Chicago. Betty was doing personal appearances at the Chicago Theatre, and Harry was playing at the College Inn. I'd pick her up at the theatre and say, 'Where do you want to go for dinner?' The answer was the same every night—College Inn. It seems a long time ago (1942) now. Why, then Dick Haymes was just a soloist with the band. People often ask me how I took to the James music. I had to like it. The radio was turned to it whenever he was on the air and Betty had all his records."

Read the complete story with pictures of the Betty Grable-Harry James marriage in the March edition of Modern Screen Magazine now on sale at your magazine dealers.

Modern Screen Magazine is distributed on Vancouver Island by Lovick's News Agency, Victoria, B.C. ***

Sirocco Presents Valentine Revue

A return engagement of Al Lalonde and his pal Chick, the educated dummy, highlights this week's floor show at the Club Sirocco. Lalonde and Chick proved so popular to Club Sirocco patrons in their last appearance, that popular request demanded a return engagement. Sharing the spotlight this week are Norma Umlah and Vera Critchard. Norma is a young lady whose vocalizing and tap routine have marked her as a real comer in western Canada's entertainment circles. Piano styling from Bach to Boogie features Vera Critchard a pianist with personality plus.

Calvin Chao Speaks At St. Andrew's

General secretary of the China Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, will speak in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Friday at 8.

A new chapter is being written in the story of the student movement of the last decade in China. Disillusioned through the widespread suffering and deep sense of frustration occasioned by the war, students who formerly declared, "K'o-hsio wan-neng" (Science is almighty), began asking, "What is the meaning of life, anyway?" This led to an attitude of inquiry toward Christianity.

This movement has been rated by one well-known missionary "as the most significiant event in the history of Christian missions in China." One development has been the formation of the China Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, with Calvin Chao as general secretary.

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Saanich Seeks Approval Of Five-Year Paving Program

A five-year program to cost $537,669 that will provide through trunk roads throughout the municipality when completed "and leave no person in the municipality more than two blocks from a good surface road," was the proposal placed by H. D. Dawson, municipal engineer, before members of the Saanich council sitting as a committee of the whole on public works matters last night.

Councillor Thomas Alexander, chairman of the works committee, presided, and all members of the council were present but Councillors Leslie Passmore and Len Hobbs.

After outlining his proposal the scheme was left in the hands of members of the council to consider. Should the project be approved a money by-law will be drafted for presentation to the ratepayers.

Mr. Dawson's plan is to raise the money by the issue of 10-year 3 per cent bonds. The issue will require annual payments of $56,000.

He pointed out that some portion of the annual cost could be met by appropriating the existing $10,000 earmarked each year for interward roads, and as ward gangs will have new road construction eliminated from their work, a saving of around $3,000 each could be made. These sums amount to $31,000 annually.

TAX RATE COST IN MILLS

"Thus, the balance still to be raised each year will be $25,000. As all the scheme is for trunk roads, we believe the fairest way to raise this sum would be by a tax rate and the amount would mean a two mill rise in the mill rate," the engineer said.

It was pointed out here by Reeve E. C. Warren that should the $31,000 not be approved to help in defraying the scheme's costs here the rise in the mill rate would mean four and one-half mills.

The plan calls for approximately $100,000 worth of equipment being purchased by the municipality, the work to be carried on by a special construction gang that would be on the go for eight or nine months of the year. He suggested this gang as separate from the ward gangs whose work would be limited to maintenance, drainage, culverts, roadside work and other upkeep work.

Proposal does not call for roads on new routes, but to develop existing roads into well-paved, hard-surfaced trunk communication roads covering the whole municipality. "We have made an effort to spread the work evenly over five years and to apportion it equitably between the wards."

Total mileage involved is 57½ miles.

Under the scheme $82,215 would be spent in Ward 1, $33,860 in Ward 2, $58,734 in Ward 3, $84,520 in Ward 4, $105,920 in Ward 5, $104,760 in Ward 6, and $67,660 in Ward 7.

Inasmuch as there will be unavoidable delays before the program would possibly be started, Mr. Dawson said he had grouped 1948 and 1949 as one year, the overall construction to be completed in 1953.

"There is a large mileage of other roads still to be properly constructed, but these should be carried out under local improvement schemes."

EQUIPMENT RENTAL HIGH

The new and additional equipment required would be bought out of the funds obtained through the bond issue. The estimates in all cases, he added, provide for the use of equipment at equitable rates and over the five-year period would have been paid for by their rental. Mr. Dawson was referring here to the fact that at present rates the municipality is paying $28 a day for the hire of a truck and driver, which he considered extremely high when hiring over a long period of time.

By the end of five years, the engineer continued, most of the equipment will still be in good condition and give the municipality many years of good service.

Equipment required is: Use of bulldozer which has been ordered and paid for by the waterworks, a 210-foot air compresor, to be paid for equally by the public works and waterworks, a 105 cubic foot tractor with mower and back-fill blade, portable gravel pit crusher and classifier with motor, shovel, grader, 12-ton heavy roller, small mobile loader, four dump trucks, asphalt beating attachment for distributor.

Mr. Dawson, in regard to the equipment, pointed out the "pick and shovel days are of the past and we urgently need the equipment for such a program of making sound, durable roads. Our work is seriously hampered by their lack."

Discussion among the members of the council on the overall plan indicated there was a general good feeling toward the proposal. However, there were objections raised in regard to reducing the annual appropriation for ward maintenance work, Councillors Alexander and George Rudd especially emphasizing this.

There was no opposition voiced on the general works fund being used for the program.

The engineer noted that while all the equipment would not be in use 12 months in the year, it would repay the investment by being operated on part-time. The laborers would be divided out among the ward gangs in the wintertime, handle stripping of overburden above gravel pits. Vehicle operators would assist in the latter and help in the overhaul of vehicles.

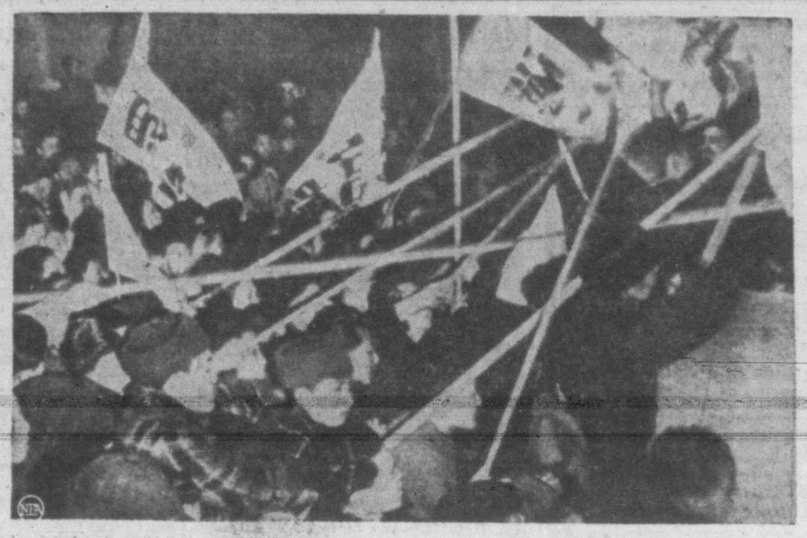
Speaking on the scheme, Mr. Dawson said it should be noted that with this work done the annual cost of maintenance and repairs will be reduced.

"These roads will require seal coating not more than once every five years. This amounts to an average of $14,000 per year for the whole of the new work divided over the municipality. In addition, for this subsequent maintenance expense, good smooth surfaced roads would be available instead of the unsatisfactory existing surfaces."

If it is seen that the sewer program might be put in hand in the near future, the engineer said it would be possible in some instances to switch work from an earlier to later date in these cases where there might be confliction in the road construction work.

Included in the scheme are portions of Coast Road construction. It was emphasized by Reeve Warren that scheme payment for this is contingent on whether or not the provincial and Dominion governments live up to promises regarding Coast Road construction.

Footage of road to be developed in each of the wards is: Ward 1, 45,115; Ward 2, 18,840; Ward 3, 40,098; Ward 4, 59,030; Ward 5, 53,944; Ward 6, 60,504 and Ward 7, 40,945.



SHANGHAI CABARET EMPLOYEES RIOT—Shanghai cabaret employees, waving banners and pointed bamboo poles, charge into Social Affairs Bureau building in retaliation for a Chinese government order which will close all cabarets by end of 1948. Crowd of 6,000 left the building a shambles, and injured six policemen and 30 taxi-dancers. About 500 of the rioters were taken into police custody.

Optimists To Stage Carnival In June

Initial steps have been taken by the ways and means committee of the Victoria Optimist Club for a three-day carnival sometime in June for the purpose of raising funds for the continuance of the club's boys' work undertakings.

Each ticket will entitle the holder to a chance of sharing a number of door prizes, the aggregate value of which will be about $4,000.

Matinee and evening sessions are planned for the carnival in order that all classes and sections of the community will be catered to. Entertainment will be planned for all age groups and every effort will be made to see each and every customer will receive full value for his money, it has been announced.

Arrangements for the carnival are in the hands of Harry Rennie, chairman of the ways and means committee.

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Prominent leaders of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide Movements are shown here. H.R.H. Princess Elizabeth, Duchess of Edinburgh, Chief Ranger of the Girl Guides of the British Commonwealth; Mrs. John S. Corbett of Montreal, Chief Commissioner of the Canadian Council, Girl Guides Association and Chairman of the World Committee of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts; Lord Baden-Powell, Founder of the Boy Scouts and the Girl Guides; Jackson Dodds of Montreal, C.B.E., Dominion Commissioner of the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association and a member of the International Committee.

Ask Free Treatment For War Veterans' Chronic Troubles

Free treatment for war veterans with chronic troubles, whether due to war service or not is sought by the Britannia Branch Canadian Legion. A resolution on the subject passed at a general meeting reads:

"Whereas there are residents in the Dominion of Canada, many veterans who are suffering from chronic medical conditions, not attributable to service, and whereas many of these veterans are without the means to pay for treatment of such conditions, and particularly cost of drugs or medicines, to alleviate their suffering, and whereas the Department of Veterans' Affairs Treatment Regulations do not provide for treatment of chronic conditions not related to war service, now be it resolved that the government of the Dominion of Canada be requested to give immediate consideration to extension of treatment regulations, to include the treatment, both 'in patient,' and 'out patient' of chronic conditions, including the supplying gratis of drugs or medicines to veterans, not in a financial position to defray the cost of such treatment, or such purchase of drugs or medicines."

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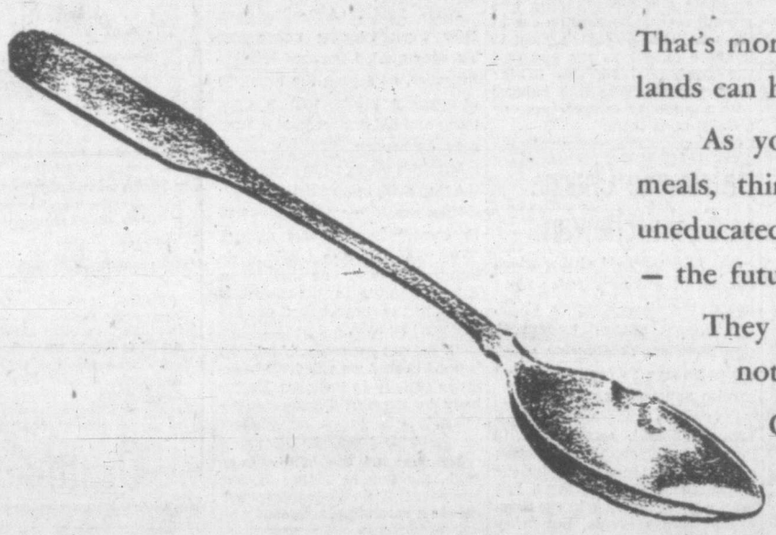

That's more than millions of children in the world's ruined lands can hope to have, unless . . .

As you watch your own youngsters enjoying their meals, think of those others. They're starving, ragged, uneducated — yet they, too, are the world's future. Our future — the future of OUR children — is bound up with theirs.

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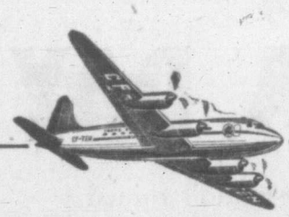

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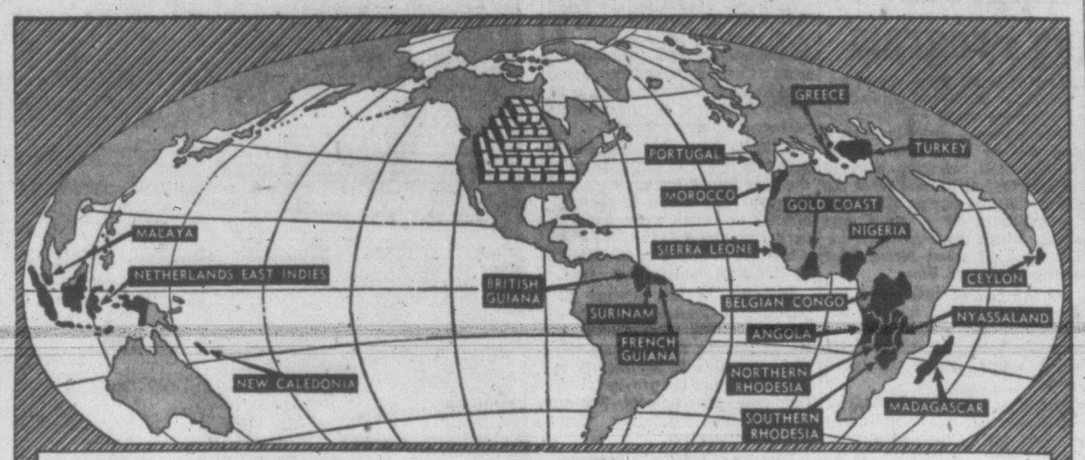
Marshall-Plan Countries May Contribute To U.S. Stockpiles



TUNGSTEN—from Portugal, 2,500,000 pounds.
BAUXITE—from British and French Guiana, Netherlands East Indies and Surinam, 850,000-1,400,000 tons.
CHROMITE—from Greece, New Caledonia, Southern Rhodesia and Turkey, 125,000-200,000 tons.
TIN—from Belgian Congo, Netherlands East Indies, Malaya and Nigeria, 25,000-40,000 tons; from Gold Coast and Morocco, 850,000 tons.
COBALT—from Belgian Congo, Morocco and Northern Rhodesia, 1,500,000-2,500,000 pounds.
TANTALITE—from Belgian Congo, 100,000-165,000 pounds.
NICKEL—from New Caledonia and Netherlands East Indies, 2,000,000-3,000,000 pounds.
ASBESTOS—from Southern Rhodesia, 3500 tons.
CADMIUM—from Belgian Congo, Northern Rhodesia, Morocco and Greece, 400,000 pounds.
CORUNDUM—from Nyassaland, 300 tons.
INDUSTRIAL DIAMONDS—from Belgian Congo, Angola, Gold Coast and Sierra Leone, 3,000,000 carats.
GRAPHITE—from Ceylon and Madagascar, 1800 tons.
MICA—from Angola, Madagascar and Southern Rhodesia, 225,000 pounds.
VANADIUM—from Northern Rhodesia, 240,000 pounds.
ZINC—from Belgian Congo, Northern Rhodesia, Morocco and Greece, 35,000 tons.

The U.S. State Department has "suggested" that Marshall-Plan countries agree to "facilitate the sale to the United States for stockpiling purposes . . . of materials which are required by the United States as a result of deficiencies or potential deficiencies in its own natural resources . . ." Testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Lewis W. Douglas, ambassador to Great Britain, gave the above estimate of stockpiling possibilities, listing the amounts of vital minerals which could be stockpiled here by expanding production in the next two years, with the participating countries shipping the materials here in exchange for Marshall-Plan funds.

Defeat Inflation By Spending Less, Manitobans Advised

WINNIPEG (CP)—Plans for development of northern resources is expected to occupy a prominent place in deliberations of the third session of Manitoba's 22nd Legislature which moved into full swing today.

The Speech from the Throne, read at the opening Tuesday afternoon by Lieutenant-Governor R. F. McWilliams, said the Legislature would be asked to approve increased appropriations to extend the fur industry as well as forest, fishing and mining industries, "which are contributing so greatly to a better-balanced economy in northern Manitoba."

The province's output of minerals, newsprint, forest products, fur, fish and hydroelectric energy was described as being maintained at "very high levels."

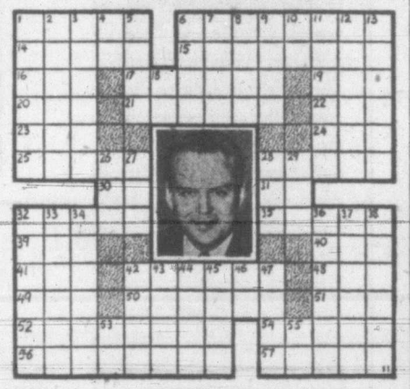
"During the past year prospectors, development syndicates and mining companies have been far more active in the mineralized areas of Manitoba than at any previous time," the Speech said. "It is expected that at least three new Manitoba mines will reach the production stage in 1948. Several others under active development have excellent possibilities."

Keynote of the Throne Speech, however, was a call to Canadians to stand off inflation by spending less money.

"While it is true that most of the powers of control over it belong to the Dominion government, there are two basic ways in which others can co-operate in its control.

"First, citizens, provincial governments, municipal governments and corporations can act to decrease the quantity of money which is brought into the market for expenditure upon goods and services; and second, those who are engaged in production can at the same time do their utmost to increase output to the end that the goods and services in the market shall come into balance with the money offered there as a claim upon them."

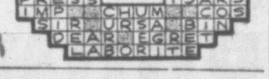
Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
1, 6 Pictured Presidential adviser
14 Hebrew teacher
15 Registering device
16 Abstract being
17 Sexless
19 Note of Guido's scale
20 Fruit drink
21 Testify
22 He is —— White House counsel
23 Male child
24 Salt
25 Come in
28 Uncloses
30 Anent
31 Gun rod
32 Trample
35 Musical study
39 Norse goddess
40 Terrace (ab.)
41 Ear (comb. form)
42 Prophet
48 Office of Price Administration (ab.)
49 Bite
50 Optical illusion
51 Dance step
52 Greek idioms
54 French river
56 Stalest
57 Chairs

VERTICAL
1 Fold
2 Former Presidential candidate
3 Missing
4 Rubidium (symbol)
5 Friendly
6 Horse's rump
7 Apollo's mother
8 Chills
9 Front
10 French (ab.)
11 Danish seaport
12 Lend again
13 Speaks slowly
18 Eye (Scot.)
36 Axe
37 Color
38 Mineral rock
39 Tau
32 Leather strips
33 Go to bed
34 Absconded
36 Ideal state
37 Leave
38 Deletes
42 Leave out
43 Get up
44 Weapons
45 Throw
46 Life guard (ab.)
47 Lampreys
53 Call (Scot.)
55 Grandchild (Scot.)

(Answer to previous puzzle)



Patronage Charge In Saskatchewan

REGINA (CP)—A sitting which extended late into Tuesday night heard the Saskatchewan C.C.F. government accused by opposition members of allowing political patronage to creep into civil service appointments.

Opposition Leader W. J. Patterson, Liberal, Cannington, in moving a non-confidence motion which was later rejected by the House 37 to 6, said there had been a great increase in the number of civil servants, but "they were so busy canvassing C.C.F. memberships they hardly had time to attend to their duties."

Mr. Patterson said the most glaring example of political patronage by the C.C.F. concerned the recent appointment of Allan McCallum as deputy minister of education. The appointment came less than two years after Mr. McCallum had joined the department, with his only qualification being that he was a defeated C.C.F. candidate for Swift Current in the 1938 provincial election, the Liberal house leader charged.

Another Liberal member, P. J. Hooge, Liberal, Rosthern, charged that promised development of Saskatchewan's resources amounted to exploitation, with people forced to do the work in the fish, fur and timber industries while compulsory marketing boards took all the profits.

A director's meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will be held Thursday afternoon at 3.30, it has been announced. The meeting will be addressed by C. Bruce Hill, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

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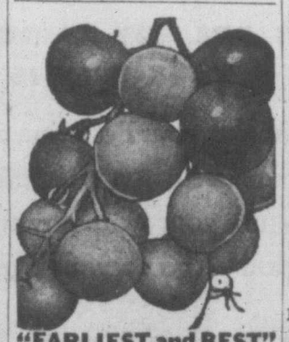

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Price Slump Good Thing, Says Baruch

NEW YORK (AP)—The Sun, New York evening newspaper, Tuesday quoted Bernard Baruch, financier, as saying the break in commodity prices was a good thing and did not forecast a business depression.

Baruch's views were expressed, the Sun said, in an interview.

"The break in commodities had to come," Baruch was quoted. "Every one in the world feels hunger stalking at his door. Every country in the world is planting the largest food crop in history," he said.

"If we can get peace, if only an 'armed peace,' we will have enormous activity in business. Everybody in the world wants something."

Members of the White Cane Club, meeting at Prince Robert House at 2.15 Wednesday, will debate a resolution, requesting an immediate, substantial increase in the rate of allowances granted to the civilian blind. Service clubs are invited to send representatives. On Saturday Mayor Percy George will open a sale of work for the benefit of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind at 1.

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Neighbors Assisting Burned-Out Family

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mr. and Mrs. F. Savard and their six children, whose four-room bungalow was destroyed by fire Monday night, today were reunited under one roof. It is expected they will remain there until their home is rebuilt.

Neighbors banded together to provide clothing, shelter and, if possible, a new home for the Savards. The children stayed at different homes Tuesday, but today, they moved into a basement suite in the home of H. W. Alexander.

Three-year-old Neil Savard, who suffered severe burns in the fire, is still in hospital.

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OX TAILS, per lb.	18¢
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SHOULDER LAMB CHOPS, per lb.	38¢
LOIN LAMB CHOPS, per lb.	55¢
PORK CHOPS, Loin, per lb.	52¢
T-BONE STEAK, per lb.	49¢
SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb.	49¢
ROUND STEAK, per lb.	45¢
WING STEAK, per lb.	49¢
PORTERHOUSE STEAK, per lb.	53¢

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GROUND MINCED STEAK, per lb.	40¢
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'The Long Night' On Atlas Screen

An unusual romantic triangle involves a girl with a forthright young steelworker and an older man of satanic charm, in "The Long Night," now being shown at the Atlas Theatre. Co-starring Henry Fonda, Barbara Bel Geddes, Vincent Price and Ann Dvorak, this RKO Radio release is based upon a highly emotional story of romantic conflict, murder and tumult.

The picture introduces to the screen the noted stage star, Barbara Bel Geddes, who won the Broadway critics' plaudits for her performance in the hit play "Deep Are the Roots."

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'Well-Groomed Bride' Comedy Romance

Ray Milland, winner of the Academy Award for the best male performance of 1945, adds the 48th star to his flag of stellar screen roles as a dashing naval lieutenant in Paramount's comedy-romance, "The Well Groomed Bride," which arrives today at the York Theatre. Olivia DeHavilland, resuming her career after a two year absence from the screen, and Sonny Tufts co-star with him in what is reported to be a fast-moving, hilarious farce.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"The Long Night," starring Henry Fonda and Ann Dvorak.

CAPITOL—Walt Disney's "Fun and Fancy Free," starring Charlie McCarthy.

DOMINION — "The Thief of Bagdad," with Sabu.

OAK BAY—"Rebecca," starring Laurence Olivier.

PLAZA—"The Man Within," starring Michael Redgrave.

RIO—"Duel in the Sun," starring Joseph Cotton and Lillian Gish.

ROYAL — "Green Dolphin Street," starring Lana Turner and Van Heflin.

YORK — "The Well-Groomed Bride," starring Olivia De Havilland and Ray Milland.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Music, as in all Walt Disney pictures, is a major element in "Fun and Fancy Free," feature fantasy in color by technicolor, which is now at the Capitol Theatre. There are six songs, three of which are heard sung by Dinah Shore, with group reprises: "'Say It With a Slap," words and music by Eliot Daniel; "Too Good To Be True," lyric by Buddy Kaye and melody by Eliot Daniel; "Lazy Countryside," words and music by Bobby Worth.

"My, What a Happy Day" is delivered by Anita Gordon and The King's Men, from lyrics by William Walsh and music by Ray Noble. Miss Gordon also sings "My Favorite Dream, Clef-fed by the same team.

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Hollywood Making More B Pictures As Money Mounts

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Notes and comment on the Hollywood scene:

The B pictures are coming back. The much-maligned, lower-budget films are on the upswing in Hollywood, as part of the industry's readjustment to tighter economic conditions. Warners has its B's in production already and M.G.M. has announced a semi-documentary series.

The news may cause some movie customers to groan, but B's sometimes can be good pictures. I said sometimes.

CALLING DR. KILDARE

Lionel Barrymore was asked on the "Key Largo" set if M.G.M. planned to revive his Dr. Gillespie series.

"I hope so," he answered. "Those were good little pictures —moneymakers, too. And look at the stars that came out of them—Van Johnson, Red Skelton, Laraine Day, Lana Turner, Donna Reed and many others." . . .

More nominations are coming in for the worst picture of 1947. Likely contenders for our razzberry award now include "It Had To Be You," "Forever Amber," "Suddenly It's Spring," "Easy Come Easy Go," "The Corpse Came C.O.D.," "Dead Reckoning," "Magic Town," "Framed." Any more suggestions?

HOLLYWOOD SIGHTS

Macdonald Carey giving Wanda Hendrix her first movie kiss, in "Abigail Dear Heart" . . . Johnny Weissmuller sweating it out at Terry Hunt's health emporium so he can continue playing Tarzan . . . Ann Blyth emphatically denying that she'll stay a blonde (is that so bad?) . . . Rita Hayworth distastefully eyeing the 23rd chicken leg she had to gnaw for a difficult eating scene in "Carmen" . . . Glenn Ford and Victor Jory staggering on the "Carmen" set after three days of knife fight scenes . . . Edward G. Robinson resoundly slapping Humphrey Bogart in 'Key Largo." (That's all right," asides Bogie, "I kill him at the end of the picture.")

Heads Credit Granters

G. A. A. Hebden was named president of the Victoria Credit Granters' Association at the annual meeting Tuesday noon in Lougheed's Banquet Hall Lew Muirhead was appointed by the president as vice-president. The visitors are Leo Evenden, Cyril Henman, Percy Noel, Tom Novis, Charlton Smith, Wally Stipe and Ray Whellams.

U.S. Charges 2 Men Abducted By Reds

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has protested to Russia and Hungary against what it termed the "abduction" of two American military attaches by Soviet troops in Hungary.

A note to Moscow, made public today by the State Department, declared the action was "an arbitrary and unjustified exercise of police power" by Red Army troops.

The attaches, Lt.-Col. Bernard Thielen and Peter J. Kopgsak, were seized by Soviet troops in Hungary Jan. 14. They were taken across the frontier to Vienna, Austria, and released there when U.S. authorities protested.

'Duel In The Sun' Showing At Rio

Dimitri Tiomkin resumed his peacetime film career by signing to write the musical score of David O. Selznick's big technicolor production, "Duel in the Sun," which can be seen now at the Rio Theatre through Selznick Releasing Organization.

When Tiomkin was released from the U.S. Army Pictorial Service there was a rush of Hollywood producers to sign him up. Tiomkin's reputation springs from such musical scores as those of "The Great Waltz" and a series of Frank Capra pictures including "Lost Horizon."

ROYAL THEATRE

"Green Dolphin Street," which brings Lana Turner, Van Heflin, Donna Reed and Richard Hart to the Royal screen in a spectacular picturization of M-G-M's, a prize-winning novel, has enough emotional intensity, dramatic impact an adventurous scope to provide the material for two or more motion picture hits.

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Delinquents Dangerous

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Dr. Edward A. Strecker, prominent psychiatrist, said today the United States is "on the brink of disintegration" because of the increase in divorce and juvenile and adult delinquency. He said American parents are failures fbecause they fail to instill self-reliance in their children and leave them emotionally immature.

Battle News Ignored

PEIPING (AP)—The scarcest thing in Peiping today was war news from Manchuria. Despite crucial battles, all usual sources appeared to have taken time out to celebrate the Chinese lunar New Year.

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Announcements

BIRTHS

BURTON—To Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Burton, at Jubilee Hospital, Feb. 10, a daughter, Patricia Mae.

LAWRASON—To Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lawrason, 2596 Dalhousie Street, a son (Robert Wilkie), born Feb. 11, 1948, at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

DEATHS

DOWDALL—On Feb. 9, 1948, Miss Helena Dowdall aged 82; born in Merrickville, Ontario, and had been living in Victoria for the past six months. She leaves a nephew, F. E. Dowdall, in Victoria, and several nieces and nephews in eastern Canada and the United States.
Funeral on Thursday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m. for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 9. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel, Wednesday at 8.30 p.m.

HANNAH—On Feb. 5, 1948, Patrick Hannah of 2514 Rock Bay Avenue, formerly of Ganges, B.C., aged 60; born in Port Glasgow, Scotland. He served overseas in First Great War with 54th Battalion enlisting in 1915. Leaves a sister, Mrs. P. Matthews of Renfrewshire, Scotland.
Funeral on Friday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m. for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 9. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel on Thursday at 8 p.m.

O'DONOVAN—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Feb. 7, 1948, Jeremiah O'Donovan of 975 North Park Street, in his 78th year; born in Bandon, County Cork, Ireland. Survived by a sister, Mrs. Fanny Brown, County Cork, Ireland. Mr. O'Donovan was Lance-Corporal with the Royal Canadian Dragoons, 1914 to 1919; with the 4th Dragoon Guards in India, 1897 to 1904 and with the N.W.M.P. in the Yukon, 1910.
Funeral on Saturday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m. for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 9. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel on Friday at 8.30 p.m.

CLAYTON—At the residence, Blenkinsop Road, Lt.-Col. Henry Edward Gilbert Clayton aged 80; born in India, and a resident of British Columbia since 1923. Besides his wife, he leaves two sons and three daughters.
Funeral on Friday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1 p.m. for St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where service will be conducted by Rev. F. Pike at 1.30. Cremation.

JAMES—On Feb. 7, 1948, George Edward James of Cordova Bay, aged 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. James; born in Conrad, Alta. Besides his parents, he leaves a sister, Mrs. R. W. Smith of Medicine Hat, Alta.; three brothers, J. T. James, Calgary; H. O. and T. R. James, in Victoria.
Funeral on Thursday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2.40 p.m. for St. David's-by-the-Sea, where service will be conducted by the Rev. W. Hills at 3. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. (Calgary Herald, please copy.)

PASTORI—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Feb. 5, 1948, Miss Margaret Mary, daughter of James Pastori of Kimberley, B.C., aged 23. Besides her father, she leaves a brother and two sisters.
Funeral on Thursday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 7.45 a.m. for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 8. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel on Wednesday at 8.30 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mr. William Gibbard desire to express their sincere thanks to their kind friends for all the expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes and letters of condolence sent during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a loving father and brother.

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A VALENTINE DANCE WILL BE HELD Saturday, Feb. 14, at the Gordon Head Community Hall on Tyndall Ave., 9-12; Leonard Halstrom's orchestra; refreshments; $1.50 per couple. Tickets on sale at Fletcher Bros. 12-36

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ANNOUNCING! THE HARVESTERS' first annual hayseed ball will be held at the Broad Street Auditorium, Saturday, Feb. 14. Door prizes, prizes for the best costumes. Admission only 50c as usual. 4-38

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KLONDIKE NIGHT—FRIDAY, GAMES, music, dancing. Legion Hall, 622 Admirals Road. Be there. 1-37

KNIGHTS AND DAMES OF THE Thistle will hold a Valentine and Scotch old-time dance on Friday, Feb. 13, at Broad Street Auditorium. 9 p.m. Admission 50c with refreshments. 1-35

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W.A. TO CANADIAN LEGION, ESQUImalt Branch No. 172, will hold a bingo party, clubrooms, 622 Admirals, tonight at 8. 1-35

WHIST TONIGHT, PROGRESSIVE, 8.30, (8To.). First prize, $12; second, $8; third, $4, four $1 specials. Playfair, Westholme Hotel, Government Street. Admission 40c and jackpot. 1-35

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY TO CANADIAN Legion, Esquimalt No. 172, will hold a rummage sale, Saturday 14th, at 9.30 a.m. Hard of Hearing Hall, View Street. 3-37

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On a cloudy day, when the skies are gray, my eyes wander off to the pine. Whose soft silent glow, seems to say, "Yes—I know, but have courage,—soon all will be fine. Look closely at me. I once was a tree, tall, stately, majestic & proud. Stretching on high, far out to the sky, as tho trying to touch a cloud. Then came the day, the loggers held sway. I was felled to the forest floor. In uncertain measure, it seemed that the pleasure, of giving forth beauty was o'er. Then way down within, above all the din, and confusion a wee voice sed. "Come.—your life is not over, your really in clover, relax here till things start to hum. And hum they sure did. I was put on a skid. And prepared for a trip to the sea. Debranched & snagged, chained & dragged, (the sight was NOT pretty to see). Then rattled the chains on their new-found gains, I was nike-poled and boomed for the ride. To some far off shore, then piked some more, in the millpond it settled my pride. Once again I was mauled, then eventually hauled, onto an endless chain. Down which, I passed, while huge saws slashed, and cut,— . . . regardless of pain. Then I was dried, and fairly cried, till no more moisture was left. Could this be the end? Could I NOT defend?, myself against being bereft?? Bereft of the beauty, which had been my duty, to offer all those who would see. All that was gracious, as I grew so spacious, and happy . . . as a tree. My fears were soon stilled, once more I was milled, the picture began to make sense! My once lowly knot,—believe it or not, began to collect recompense. I was cut & dowelled, till I fairly howled, then sanded,—buffed & spraved. Crated and shipped, (my moral nearly slipped). I was headed for HUMBER'S and prayed. Prayed that they, in their own sweet way, Would send me to someone skin. To the birds & trees, and the whispering breeze, of the forest where I had 'bin. They did,—and I'm glad, so let's not be sad, because there's a cloud in the sky. Take rain & defeat in your stride, then you'll meet, it all without tears in your eye. You'll develop, I know, this same inner glow. Which people admire in me.— Just a knotty pine suite, which once knew defeat, when felled to the ground,—as a tree

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Rosa Linds—CBR.
Captain Midnight—KVI.
Sing News—CJVI.
5.45: Elmer Peterson—KOMO.
6.00 Mark Warnow—KIRO.
Duffy's Tavern—KOMO.
News; Weather—CKWX.
Macmillan Club Quiz—CBR.
To You—KJR.
Mayor of the Town—CJOR.
CJVI.
Gabriel Heatter—KVI.
6.30 Sweeney and March—KIRO.
Skippy Theatre—KOMO.
Sou White Show—CKWX.
Curtain Time—CJOR. CJVI.
Vancouver Choirs—CBR.
Vox Pop—KJR.
Tex Beneke—KVI.
7.00 The Saint—KIRO.
Old Songs and New—KOMO.
Lone Ranger—KJR.
News; Sportsreel—CKWX.
The Whistler—CJOR. CJVI.
California Melodies—KVI.
News—CBR.
7.30 The Whistler—KIRO.
France James—CBR.
Tony Martin Show—CJOR.
Jimmy Durante—KOMO.
Mayor of the Town—KJR.
Cisco Kid—CKWX. KVI.
8.00 Lowell Thomas—KIRO.
Supper Club—KOMO.
Abbott and Costello—KJR.
Citizens' Forum—CBR.
Music by Cloutier—CJVI.
News—CKWX.
Dick Disbrecker—CJOR.
What's Name Song—KVI.
8.15: Jack Smith—KIRO.
8.15: Vancouver Symphony—CJOR. CJVI.
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Public Opinion—CKWX.
Groucho Marx—KJR.
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Great Gildersleeve—KOMO.
Citizens' Forum—CBR.
Quiet Please—KVI.
9.00 Dennis Day—KOMO. CJOR.
Bing Crosby—CKWX. KJR.
Personality Time—CJVI.
Glenn Hardy—KVI.
Romance of the Ranchos—KIRO.
Peer Gynt, Part I—CBR.
9.30 Mr. District Attorney—KOMO.
News—KJR.
Club 15—KIRO. CJVI. CJOR.
Fun Parade—CKWX.
Peer Gynt, Part I—CBR.
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9.45: Ed Murrow—KIRO.
9.45: This Is It—KJR.
9.45: Bing Crosby—CJOR.
10.00 News—KIRO. CBR. CJOR.
CKWX. KOMO.
Music Hour—KJR.
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10.15: Books I Like—CBR.
10.30 Talk—KIRO.
Close of Day—CKWX.
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News—CJVI.
Music Hour—KJR.
Alexander Brott Conducts—CBR.
Record Party—KVI.
11.00 Weather and Concert Hour—KIRO.
News; Doghouse—CKWX.
Dance Orchestra—CBR. KVI.
News—KOMO.
Concert Hour—CJOR.
Bob Harvey—KJR.
Melody Lane—CJVI.

Tomorrow

7.30 Bob Nichols—KOMO.
News—CBR. KIRO. CKWX.
CJVI. KVI.
"G-G" Man—CJOR.
Breakfast Music—KJR.
7.45: Sam Hayes—KOMO.
7.45: Al Smith—CJVI.
8.00 Fred Waring—KOMO.
News—CBR. CJOR. CJVI.
Breakfast Club—CBR.
KIRO. CKWX. KVI.
8.30 Grand Slam—KIRO.
Breakfast Club—CBR.
Jack Berch—KOMO.
Billy Browne—CJOR.
News; Music—CKWX.
Katherine Wise—KOMO.
9.00 News; You Name It—CKWX.
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10.00 Big Sister—KIRO.
Standard School—KOMO.
News; Bob White Show—CKWX.
Six For One—CJVI.
Carl Trevers—CJOR.
Ellen Harris—CBR.
Galen Drake—KJR.
Glenn Hardy—KVI.
10.15 Happy Gang—CBR.
10.15: Ma Perkins—KIRO.
10.30 Dr. Malone—KIRO.
My True Story—KJR.
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News; Music—CKWX. KVI.
Music of the Waltz—CJVI.
Breakfast Club—KJR. CBR.
News—CJVI.
Edith Adams—CKWX.
Say It With Music—KVI.
Lora Lawton—KOMO.
10.45: Guiding Light—KIRO.
11.00 Second Mrs. Burton—KIRO.
Today's Children—KOMO.
Betty Crocker—KJR.
News—CKWX.
Make Mine Music—CJVI.
Songs For You—CJOR.
Cedric Foster—KVI.
CBR Presents—CBR.
11.15: Perry Mason—KIRO.
11.30 Betty Crocker—KOMO.
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Baukhage Talking—KJR.
Pick the Hits—CKWX.
Woman's World—CJOR.
Richard Lindsay—CJVI.
Queen for a Day—KVI.
Famous Voices—CBR.
Rose of My Dreams—KIRO.
12.00 Life Can Be Beautiful—KOMO.
Piccadilly Parade—CJVI.
Musical Scrapbook—CBR.
News—CKWX. KJR. KIRO. KVI.
Midday Melodies—CJOR.
Carolers—CJOR.
12.15: Cecil Solly—KIRO.
12.30 News—CJOR. CJVI.
Paul Whiteman—KJR.
Double or Nothing—KIRO.
B.C. Farm Broadcast—CBR.
Pepper Young's Family—KOMO.
News. Waltz Favorites—CKWX.
Harmony Hoedown—KVI.
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Gateways to Music—KIRO.
Concert Hour—CBR.
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Famous Voices—CJOR.
Memory Time—CJVI.
News; Take It Easy—CKWX.
U.N. Activities—KVI.
1.15—Club Diary—CJVI.
1.15: Stella Dallas—KOMO.
1.30 Housewives—KIRO.
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Recital—CBR.
Ann Sterling—KJR.
Will Reeder's Notebook—CKWX.
Six for One—CJVI.
Elbert Laschelle—KVI.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
2.00 Winner Take All—KIRO.
When a Girl Marries—KOMO.
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Red, White and Blue—CKWX.
Heart's Desire—KVI.
Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.
Music for Today—CJVI.
B.C. School Broadcast—CBR.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
2.15: Portia Faces Life—KOMO.
2.15: Prairie Special—CJVI.
2.30 Just Plain Bill—KOMO.
Bride and Groom—KJR.
House Party—KIRO.
Sheila Presents—CBR.
News of the Day—CKWX.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
Hollywood Favorites—KVI.
Prairie Special—CJVI.
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3.00 Road of Life—KOMO.
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Winter Serenade—CKWX.
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World Day of Prayer—CBR.
News—CJOR.
Mediation Board—KVI.
Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.
3.30 Off the Record—CKWX.
Welcome Travelers—KJR.
Arthur Godfrey—KIRO.
Divertimento—CBR.
What's New—CJOR.
Aunt Mary—KOMO.
Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.
Song of the Stranger—KVI.
4.00 This Woman's Secret—KOMO.
Hint Hunt—KIRO.
News; Off the Record—CKWX.
Alice F. Lambert—KJR.
News; 900 Club—CJVI.
Tony the Troubador—CBR.
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What's New—CJOR.
4.15: Jack Smith—CBR.
4.15: Evelyn Winters—KIRO.
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News—KIRO.
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Submissions should be prepared in six (6) copies and addressed to:

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the time limited by the Standing Orders of the House for receiving Petitions will expire on Thursday, the 11th day of March, 1948. Private Bills must be presented to the House on or before Tuesday, the 23rd day of March, 1948. Reports from Standing or Select Committees on Private Bills must be received on or before Tuesday, the 30th day of March, 1948.

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Communist Chiefs In Moscow Berate 7 Big Composers

MOSCOW (AP)—The central committee of the Communist Party today censured seven Russian composers, including Dmitri Shostakovich and Serge Prokofieff.

A party resolution spread across half of Pravda's front page this morning accused them of writing music which "follows the formalist trend—a trend against the people."

The resolution was sharply critical of "survivals of bourgeois ideology nurtured by influence of the modern decadent music of western Europe and America."

Other composers mentioned by name were Aram Khachaturian, Vissarion Shebalin, Gabriel Popov, Irakly (Vano) Muradeli and Nicolai Miaskovsky.

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"The vicious formalistic trend in Soviet music—a trend against the people—also is exerting a baleful influence on the training and upbringing of young composers in our conservatories and above all in Moscow Conservatory, where the formalist trend 's predominate," the resolution said.

"The work of many pupils of the conservatory is a blind imitation of the music of D. Shostakovich, S. Prokofieff and others."

Shebalin is director of the Moscow Conservatory.

Shostakovich is the composer of the opera "Lary Macbeth of Zzensk" and several widely-played symphonies. Prokofieff perhaps is most kidely known for his "Peter and the Wolf."

Uncle Ray

EGYPT PLAYED PART IN INVENTION OF ALPHABET

There is a question which many persons ask, and it is this: "Who invented the alphabet?"

The answer is that several ancient nations helped to provide it. Those nations include Egypt, Phoenicia, Palestine, Greece and Rome.

Some scholars believe that many of the letters were used first in India, but this is doubtful. Egypt's written history goes much farther back than the written history of India.

In Egypt there was a kind of alphabet which was made up of pictures. Each picture stood for a certain sound. A small picture of a lion stood for the "L" sound. "Labo" was the Egyptian word for "lion." A picture of a hand was "T" in the Egyptian alphabet, because a hand was called a "tot" in the language of Egypt.

There is reson to believe that the Egyptian alphabet was learned by the people of Crete. When sailors from Phoenicia visited Crete, they may have been taught the alphabet. In any case the Phoenicians did learn it, and they are believed to have taught it to the Greeks and others.

Many changes took place in the alphabet. Letters were added, or taken away, by people of several nations. Some letters have changed so much that it is hard to tell where they came from.

One theory is that the letter "L" grew from the outline of an ancient ox-goad, or whip. If we turn our modern "L" sidewise, with the lower end downward, it makes a fair outline of a stick with a lash hanging from it.

"L" is today a common initial for family names. Larson, Lewis and Lee are popular "L" names. Others are Lamb, Levin, Little, Lawrence, Lloyd and Logan.

Several of the given names in the "L" group are the same as family names — as Lloyd, Lawrence, Lee and Lewis. When used as a given name, Lewis is spelled "Louis" more often than not. Among the "L" names for women are Laura, Lela, Lilian, Lily, Lois, Loretta, Lucy and Lucile.

New Health Officer

Dr. J. L. Gayton, who has been appointed medical health officer for Victoria and Esquimalt, following resignation of Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson to take the position of medical superintendent at Royal Jubilee Hospital. Dr. Gayton, one of two B.C. examiners in public health and preventive medicine for the Medical Council of Canada, is at present medical health officer for Saanich. He will take over his new duties March 1.

Spokane Building Swept By Fire

SPOKANE (AP)—More than 100 firemen battled flames for 2½ hours this morning that swept through a three-story building in the business district here as five-degree weather sheathed equipment and clothing in solid ice.

The blaze originated in the rear of a men's clothing store, taking in its path a music company stock room and a music studio. Firemen estimated the loss at several thousand dollars.

Halifax Canon Dies

HALIFAX (CP)—Rev. Canon C. R. Cumming, honorary canon of All Saint's Cathedral here, died Tuesday. He was 76 and served overseas in the First World War as chaplain of the 112th Battalion.

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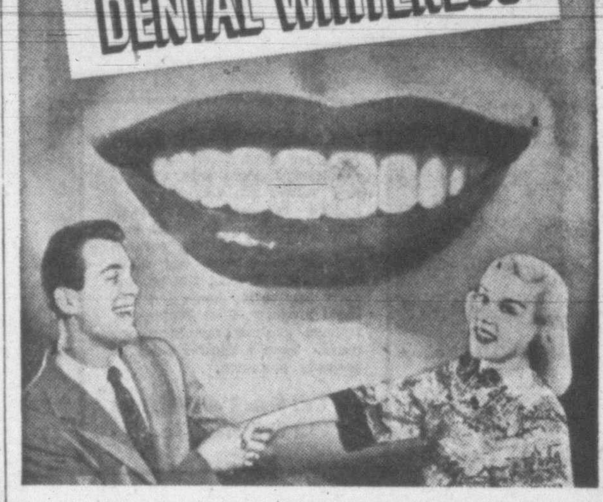

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Precipitate Decline Stemmed

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market stemmed its precipitate decline today in a fast but nervous session. Commodity price gyrations that shoved some futures contracts down the daily limit had little reflection in share dealings.

Stocks eased from the start only to find support at lower levels. Occasional mild rallies ensued which left quotations narrowly irregular near the close. Most price changes were limited to a point or less.

Dow Jones Averages:
30 industrials ...165.69, up .04
20 rails ...48.35, up .22
15 utilities ...31.68, up .03
65 stocks ...59.97, up .08
Total sales, 1,490,000

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	171-4
American Can	77-4
American Tobacco	63-2
American Smelter	47-1
American Tel. and Tel.	149-7
Anaconda Copper	31
Atchison Topeka	86
B. and O. Railway	16-4
Bethlehem Steel	31-4
Canadian Pacific Railway	11-4
C. and O. Railway	40-6
Chrysler	53-4
Con. Edison	21-5
Du Pont	170
Eastman Kodak	38-3
Erie Railroad	9-2
General Foods	34-4
General Electric	33-1
General Motors	51-7
Goodyear Tire	40
Great Northern	38
Inter. Harvester	81-5
Inter. T. and T.	11-6
Inter. Nickel	26-1
Johns-Manville	34-6
Kennecott Copper	42-6
Loew's Theatre	16-7
New York Central	12-6
Norfolk and Western	56
Northern Pacific	17-3
Pacific Gas Electric	34
Pennsylvania Railroad	17-1
Procter & Gamble	63-5
Public Service New Jersey	21
Radio	8-1
Republic Steel	22-6
Schenley Distillers	26-2
Standard Oil California	57-4
Standard Oil New Jersey	70-2
Sears Roebuck	32-6
Socony Vacuum	15
Southern Pacific	44-4
Southern Railway	34-5
Texas Corp.	53
Union Carbide	98
Union Pacific	157
United Aircraft	23-1
U.S. Steel	69-2
Hiram Walker G. & W.	19-6
Westinghouse Electric	25-6
Woolworth	43-3

Prices Again Drop To Low Levels

TORONTO (CP) — Prices dropped to lower levels again today on the Toronto Stock Exchange as plunging commodity prices in the United States put pressure on security markets. Industrials were active and retreated on a broad front although the price range was narrower than yesterday's drop.

Base metals continued soft but golds, although under pressure, managed to maintain relative stability. Western oils eased for nearly all issues trading in slow action.

Toronto Index:
20 industrials ...155.88, off 1.76
10 base metals 82.28, off 1.27
20 golds ...96.18, off 0.28
15 western oils 30.63, up 0.04
Total sales, 1,257,000

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)
Feb. 11, 1948, 9 a.m.

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Alum. Co. of Canada 4% pfd.	24⅞	25
Ashdown Hardware A	12½	13
Beatty Bros. com.	38½	40⅞
Bell Telephone	161	162
Brazilian T. L. and P.	17¼	17⅜
B.A. Oil	20	21¼
Do. pfd.	24	24½
B.C. Electric Co. pfd.	—	95
B.C. Power A	24⅝	—
Bruck Silk Mills	22	—
Building Products	28½	30
Burlington Steel	11	12
Canada and Dominion Sugar	15⅛	15¾
Canada Steamship Lines pfd.	35	37
Canadian Breweries	20	20¼
Canadian Industries Ltd.	19¼	21¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	13⅞	14⅛
Cons. Paper Corp.	15⅝	16
Cosmos Imperial Mills	26	28
Distillers Seagram com.	16⅝	17½
Dominion Bridge	27	28
Ford A of Canada	21	21¼
Imperial Oil	15	15⅛
Imperial Tobacco	12½	13¼
Do. 4% pfd.	25	25¼
Inter. Metal Indus. 4½% pfd.	—	101
Do Class A	29	29½
Inter. Petroleum	13	13¾
Loblaw A	28	28½
McColl Frontenac 4% pfd.	—	93½
Do. com.	10¼	10½
Montreal Locomotive Works	—	14⅞
Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.	—	15⅝
National Hosiery A	11	12⅛
National Steel Car	20	21
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Shawinigan W. and P.	20⅝	21
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Sicks' Breweries Ltd.	13	14
Simpson's Ltd. A	23⅝	26
Do. B	—	20⅛
Southam Co. com.	17⅛	18
Steel of Canada pfd.	17⅛	18
Steel of Canada	66	68¼
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Amalg. Larder	.25	.26
Astoria Rouyn	.09	.10
Aubelle	.10	.11
Aumaque	.20	.21
Aunor	3.55	3.65
Bear Exploration	.47	.49
Beatty	.62	.65
Beaulieu	.11	.12
Bevcourt	.47	.49
Bidgood Kirkland	.21½	.22
Bobjo	.14	.15
Bralorne	950	975
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Buffalo Addison	.72	.78
Buffalo Ankerite	1.91	2.10
Cambbell Red Lake	2.45	2.50
Castle Treth	1.25	1.30
Canadian Malartic	.75	.84
C. and E. Corp.	3.80	3.90
Central Pat.	1.25	1.35
Chesterville	2.50	2.69
Cochenour Willans	2.15	2.18
Coin Lake	.20	.25
Colomac	.05½	.06
Conwest	.80	.90
Cons. Smelters	92.00	92.50
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Crowshore Pat	.11½	.12
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Dickenson Red Lake	.55	.58
Dome Mines	21.00	21.50
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Duquesne	.45	.50
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Elder	.58	.62
Eldona	.80	.85
Falconbridge	4.00	4.20
Francoeur	.09½	.17
Frobisher	1.82	1.85
Giant Yellowknife	5.30	5.40
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Goldcrest	.12	.15
Golden Gate	.16	.17
Golden Man.	2.32	2.36
Harricana	.07	.07½
Hardrock	.13	.14
Hasaga	.80	.96
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Pamour Porc.	1.36	1.40
Paymaster	.39	.40
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Powell Rouyn	.73	.80
Preston	1.80	1.85
Quemont	12.00	12.50
Regcourt	.07½	.08
San Antonio	3.95	4.00
Senator	.55	.58
Sheep Creek	1.00	1.05
Sherritt Gordon	2.15	2.19
Sigma	7.65	9.50
Siscoe Gold	.37	.45
Sladen Malartic	.28	.35
Steeprock	2.00	2.05
Sullivan	1.60	1.75
Sylvanite	1.65	1.75
Teck Hughes	3.10	3.20
Toburn	.69	.74
Trans Cont. Resources	.50	.52
Upper Canada	2.02	2.05
Ventures	6.60	6.90
Waite Amulet	4.75	4.85
Wright Hargreaves	2.65	2.70
Lake Wasa.	.48	.54

Mines, Industrials On Down Trend

VANCOUVER (CP) — Trading in the morning session of the Vancouver Stock Exchange today was brisk with mines and industrials recording sharp downward trends while oils remained stationary. Sales totaled 45,851 shares.

In mines Canada West Lumber slid 40 to 3.10 and Coast Breweries was off 5 to 3.15.

Vancouver Averages:
20 golds ...49.53, unchgd
10 base metals 83.72, off 1.32
15 oils ...141.66, up 0.33

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	10	—
Anglo-Canadian	156	165
A.P. Con.	14½	
C. and E. Corp.	375	380
Calmont	42½	—
Commoil	34½	—
Dalhousie	37	—
East Leduc	30	—
Foothills	350	—
Highwood Sarcee	9½	11
Home Oil	555	565
Leduc West	68	70
McLeod	5	5½
Mercury	10	11
McDougall Segur	9½	10½
Model	27	29
National Pete	23	24
Okalta	111	114
Globe	59	60
Pacific Pete.	93	95
Royal Canadian	10½	—
Vanalta	15	16
Vulcan	—	35
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	6	—
Bralorne	950	—
Bridge River Con.	3	4
B.R.X. (1935)	8	9
Canusa Cariboo	17	18
Cariboo Gold	215	225
Congress	3½	4
Dentonia	12¼	13
George Copper	9¼	15
Grandview	17	—
Grull Wihksne	4¾	5¾
Hedley Mascot	—	80
Highland Belle	52	55
Island Mountain	135	140
Minto	2	2½
Pacific Nickel	11½	—
Pend Oreille	235	240
Pioneer Gold	325	345
Premier Border	4¾	5
Privateer	27	29
Quatsino Copper	7	9
Reeves McDonald	115	125
Reno Gold	10	11
Salmon Gold	20½	21
Sheep Creek	102	105
Silbak Premier	42	45
Silver Ridge	13½	—
Taylor Bridge	45½	48
Utica	10½	13
Wellington	2	3
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	—	325
B.C. Turf	65	70
Capital Estates	900	925
Coast Breweries	3110	315
H. R. MacMillan A	—	1000
Do. B	—	675
Pacific Coyle	55	58
Westminster Paper	1850	—

London Market

LONDON (CP)—London stock prices slumped today in markets overwhelmed by news of Britain's critical financial position and further breaks on American exchanges.

Trade was small and extremely nervous. About mid-day prices rallied slightly, then steadied.

British government 2½ per cent bonds dropped a quarter of a point and other gilt-edged securities were weak.

Leading industrials were 1s (20c) to 5s lower. Steels were 6d to 9d (10c to 15c) off despite January's high production figures.

Gold shares at first resisted the sell-off in other markets, but after mid-session prices began to slip slightly along with other metals.

Closings: Babcock & Wilcox 66s. Boots Pure Drug 56s 6d. Canadian Pacific $17 13-16. Central Mining £24¾. Consolidated Goldfields 75s. Courtaulds 41s 3d. Hudson's Bay Co. 77s 9d. Metal Box 100s. Mexican Eagle 15s 4½d. Mining Trust 17s 6d.

Bonds: British 2½% Consols £80. British 3½% War Loan £104. British Funding 4s 1960-90 £113⅝.

City Egg Prices

The following egg prices are now in effect:

To producers—
Grade A large 36½c
Grade A medium 34½c
Pullets 28c
Grade B 28c

Wholesale price to retailers—
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Grade A medium 41c
Pullets 34c
Grade B 34c

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Losing Trends Seen In Active Trading

MONTREAL (CP)—All groups displayed losing trends in active trading up to the final hour on the stock exchange and curb market today. Trading in mines was moderate and prices were lower.

Montreal Averages:
20 industrials ...111.50, off 1.20
20 utilities ...71.60, off 0.50
30 combined ...98.20, off 1.00
10 pulp-paper ...303.85, off 3.48
15 golds ...69.85, off 0.05
Total Sales, 193,200.

(By James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest. Fund	—	475
Can. Bank of Com.	22⅛	22⅛
Imperial Bank	—	27
Bank of Montreal	25½	26
Bank of N.S.	35½	—
Royal Bank	24¼	24½
Bank of Toronto	32	—
Atlas Steel	10½	10⅞
Abitibi com.	13⅜	13⅞
Do pfd.	18⅜	19
Algoma Steel	38½	39
Aluminum pfd.	24½	25
Asbestos Corp.	24	25
Bathurst A	18⅝	18⅛
Bell Telephone	161	164
Brazilian Tract.	17	17¼
Br. Amer. Oil	20	20⅝
B.C. Power A	24⅝	25
Building Prod.	28½	—
Bruck Silk Mills	20	21
Bulolo Gold	16½	18
Can. and Dom. Sugar	15½	16
Can. Malting	—	48½
Can. Nor. Power	10	10½
Can. Steamships com.	11½	12
Do pfd.	—	37
Can. Cement	16⅝	16⅞
Can. Breweries	20¼	20⅝
Can. Bronze com.	—	36
Can. Car and Foundry com.	10½	10⅝
Can. Celanese	57	59½
Can. Dredge and Dock	17⅛	22
Can. Indus. Alcohol	11½	11⅝
Can. Locomotive	24	26
Canadian Pacific Railway	13⅞	14
Can. Vickers com.	21½	25
Cockshutt Plow	—	10⅞
Comm. Alcohol	3⅝	4
Cons. Paper	16	16⅛
Consumers Glass	33	35
Crown Cork and Seal	30	36
Distillers Seag.	17	17⅛
Dom. Bridge	27⅛	27⅛
Dom. Engineering	32	35
Dom. Fdries. and Steel	22½	23¼
Dom. Oilcloth and Lin.	—	36
Dom. Woolens	11	13
Dom. Steel and Coal B	13⅝	14
Dom. Stores	—	25⅝
Dom. Tar and Chem.	—	26
Dom. Textile	11	11⅛
Donna. Paper	20	20⅝
Dryden Paper	26⅛	27
Eddy Paper	18⅝	18⅛
Fairchild Aircraft	—	2
Fanny Farmer	41	41⅞
Fleet Aircraft	2½	3
Ford of Can. A	21⅝	21⅛
Foundation Co.	—	22
Fraser Co. V.T.	43	44
Gatineau Power	18⅛	—
Gen. Steel Wares	14⅛	15
Gypsum Lime	13⅛	14
Hamilton Bridge	6⅝	6⅞
Imperial Oil	14⅝	15
Imperial Tobaco	12½	13
Indus. Accept	30	31¼
Int. Bronze Pwdr.	10	—
Int. Nickel	30⅞	31⅛
Int. Paper	49⅛	49⅞
Intl. Pete.	12⅛	13
Jamaica P.S.	13½	14¼
Lake of Woods	26½	27
Lowney, Walter M.	13¼	13½
Maple Leaf com.	12½	13
Massey Harris com.	16⅛	16⅞
Do pfd.	24⅞	25⅛
McColl Front. com.	10⅛	10⅝
Minn. and Ont. Paper	20⅛	20⅛
Mitchell. Robt.	16	16½
Molsons Brew.	34	35
Moore Corp.	64½	66
National Brew.	—	43
National Drug	—	11⅝
Nat. Steel. Car	—	20
Ogilvie Flour	24⅝	25
Page Hersey	28½	30
Penmans Ltd.	64	64¼
Powell River	37⅛	38
Power Corp.	11	11½
Price Bros.	58½	58⅞
Quebec Power	17⅛	18
St. Law. Corp. pfd.	36	38
St. Law. Paper pfd.	110	116
Sicks' Breweries	12½	13¼
Southam Co.	17⅛	18½
South Can. Pwr.	17	18
Standard Chem.	6	6⅛
Steel of Can.	—	67
Taylor P. & C. com.	4⅝	5
Do. pfd.	10	10¼
United Steel	5⅝	5⅞
Walker Gooderham com.	25¼	25⅞
Westeel Prod	26⅞	27⅞
Winnipeg Electric com.	20⅝	20⅝

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Heavy liquidation and general selling again appeared on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today in response to maximum declines of Chicago grains and weaknesses on other commodity markets.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May	399-6	399-6	397	396-6
July	344	346	344	344
October	231-1	240	230-4	230-4
Barley—				
May	114-4	114-4	110	112
July	103-4	108-6	103	106-7
October	—	—	—	101-3
Oats—				
May	76-4	76-6	72	75-2
July	69	72-7	68-4	71-6
October	68	69-1	67-4	68-6

Cash Grain Close
Oats—No. 2 cw. 80-2, track 69-2.
Barley—No. 3 cw. 114, track 108.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 401-6, track 399-6.

CHICAGO (AP) — Selling again swept grains sharply lower on the Board of Trade today despite a mid-session rally which canceled part of early losses. The rally failed to hold and prices again dropped before the close.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	242-4	244	241-4	243
May	237	241	237	237
July	217	224	216-2	217-4
September	217	222-4	212-2	217
December	216	222	211-6	216-4
Corn—				
May	205-2	205-2	205-2	205-2
July	[illegible]	199-4	197-4	197-4
September	[illegible]	185-2	179-2	179-2
December	[illegible]	160	154	154-6
Oats—				
March	109	110-4	109	109-4
May	97-2	101-2	96-5	98-3
July	81	87-2	81	84-4
September	77-4	82-4	76-2	80-4
December	77	82-6	76	80-2

Canadian Bonds

MONTREAL (CP) — Prices were easier in light trading on the bond market today. Dominion middles 3's of '56 and '57 were off slightly while longs and shorts remained unchanged. Dominion guaranteed C.N.R. 2¾'s of '67 dropped ¾.

(By Investment Dealers' Association)

	Bid	Asked
Dominion of Canada—		
VL 1 3 1951	103.70	104.85
VL 2 3 1954	104.35	105.50
VL 3 3 1956	103½	104½
VL 4 3 1957	102⅝	103⅛
VL 5 3 1959	101⅞	102⅞
VL 6 3 1960	101⅝	102⅝
VL 7 3 1962	101⅝	102⅝
VL 8 3 1963	101⅝	102⅝
VL 9 3 1966	101⅝	102⅝
3¼ 1966	103¼	104½
3¼ 1952	103.65	104.80
3 1952	102.35	103½
3 Perp.	100.00	101¼
Dominion Guarantees—		
C.N.R. 2¾ 1967	98.00	99¼
Do. 3 1959	101¾	102¾
Do. 4½ 1956	102⅝	
Do. 5 1954	112.00	114¾
Do 5 1969	108½	—
Provincial Securities—		

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

WINTRY WEATHER

AS I WRITE THIS on Monday morning, snow is falling outside. But I hope that, long before this appears in print, it will have emulated Omar Khayyam's: "And anon—like snow upon the desert's dusty face lighting a little hour or two—is gone."

However, at the moment, the garden looks like a scene from an old-fashioned Christmas card, with the trees and shrubs glistening under their snowy coverlet.

And our quail have just come scurrying down over the rocks looking very bewildered at this strange phenomenon, which is something quite new to them.

As it seems to have complicated their housekeeping problem, I shall go out and substitute for Mrs. Hubbard, by leaving them some tidbits of fat to replenish their temporarily bare cupboard.

FLOWERS FALL

ON THE ROCKS, the snow has hidden from view the clumps of snowdrops and the primroses and polyanthus which have been making such a gay showing of color.

It has also covered up the Canterbury bells that were looking a little sick after the recent cold winds. And I am wondering how the daffodils feel about its cold touch on their noses.

But I am hoping that it will at least help to disintegrate the natural fertilizer which not long ago was spread all over the lawns and beds, and help distribute its nourishing—if rather smelly—qualities to the hungry earth beneath.

JEERS AND JIBES

ANY PLEASURE I HAVE felt at the sight of the snow has been rather rudely punctuated by the jibes and jeers of some of my readers.

Several, whom I suspect of being former easterners, have telephoned and darkly hinted that Nature is getting back at me for all the cruel things I said about the eastern winter, as experienced on my recent trip.

Even before the snow came, I was more than once stopped on the street by readers who suggested that last week's hailstorm and cold was by way of retribution for my sins.

But was my face red? Not a bit of it! Retribution or not, I am not taking back one single word of what I wrote about winter on the Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta plan.

PROVES ME RIGHT

IN FACT, I AM RATHER inclined to think that this little touch of "unusual" weather—for Victoria—was sent to prove to doubters how right I was when I lauded our winters.

If those doubters would compare our small sample with what the weatherman serves up elsewhere as winters, they would realize that what we have had in the last couple of weeks would be looked upon as spring by those who live to the east of us.

And even the weatherman must have been surprised when he saw the snow. For no mention was made of it when he gave the forecast from Vancouver on Monday morning. He promised it to his own hometown, it's true, but said we were in for "occasional showers and colder."

WINNIPEGGER, PERHAPS?

SPEAKING OF THE weatherman reminds me of some sinister thoughts I harbored about him last week, when the north wind brought that brief hailstorm in its wake.

Coming as it did so soon upon the heels of my column upon Winnipeg and its 33-below-zero-plus-a-wind welcome to me, I wondered.

Could it be that our weatherman is a former Winnipegger, who stooped to take his revenge for my libellous remarks by importing a sample of Manitoba winter to make me shiver in my shoes?

It could be. And when I remember the "icy mitt" which Winnipeg extended to me, I wouldn't put it past any of them!

Toronto Unlisted

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Advance	4	5
Bright Red Lake	3	5
Bravo	1	2
Cassidy	3½	5
Craibbe	9	11
Columbiere	2	3
Harper	1½	2½
Kamlac	14	16
Lake Expanse	7	9
Lassie	8	10
Lasalle	6	7
Mate	4	6
Norcourt	3	4
Ortono	3½	4½
Pinnacle	2½	3½
Rand	5	7
Redwood	6	7
Rich Group	4	7
Salmita	7	9
Sunbear	2½	4
Tiffany	1	2
Walcoro	1	3

Preferred Stocks

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

	%	Bid	Asked
Abitibi ($1.50)	—	18⅝	19
Do ($2.50)		35½	37½
A-C Tel. ($50 par)	4½	—	50
B.C. Electric	4	94	95
B.C. Telephone	4	98	100
Can. Bread	4½	97½	99
Can. Bronze	5	100	—
Can. Celanese ($1.75)	—	34½	36
Can. Utilities	5	103	103⅞
C.W. Nat. Gas ($20 par)	4	19¼	20¼
Dom Malting	5	102	103½
Donnacona	4½	—	102
Freiman	4½	94	96
Gatineau	5½	109	110½
G.S. Wares	5	103¼	104½
Howard Smith ($50 par)	—	46	47½
Imp. Tobacco ($25 par)	4	25	25⅞
Nat. Grocers ($1.50)	—	27	28
Ottawa Power	5	102	103
Power Corp.	6	109	110
Price Bros.	4	93	95
Simpsons	4½	99¼	100
Standard Chemical	5	96	97
Geo. Weston	4½	99¾	100½

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